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A GONER.

The Sealskin Sacque Has Fallen on Evil Da s.

MESSRS. HEARST AND DE YOUNG.

The Synagogue o the Sacred Spittoons and Papa Hearst's Injunctions on His Son.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 7, 1890.

As we strolled into Third street the Philosopher paused, turned clear around, his eyes following a female wonderfully bedight, who had just switched by. When his contemplation had carried her along at least half a block, but had not moved him an inch, I projected into his meditations an interlocutory, "Well, what now?"

"It's a goner!" he replied.

"Yes, she's a goner, and I would I were one too." I returned with that peculiar sarcastic inflection which has won me many an enemy and several fines, "but I must enter an objection to your calling a woman 'it.' No matter how humble may be her lot, she's——"

"Rats!" interposed the philosopher, without regard to the exigencies of grammatical number. "I didn't mean the woman; I meant the sacque. The sealskin sacque's a goner, as sure as you're less prepossessing than an ephod and more to be desired than half an hour."

Now, if there is one thing which I have been taught to regard as established from the foundations of the earth it is the sealskin sacque. I have gone on my way believing that it would prevail until the last dread day, when, with other things it would fulfill the prophecy and be folded up as a scroll (with camphor, so that moths may not corrupt), and wax old like any other garment. But I have also long learned to look to the Philosopher for little scraps of wisdom unusual stretches of foresight entirely beyond my duller ken, so I asked for the premises which led to so violent conclusion.

"Look at that pot boiler in life's salon," he said, still indicating the audible young female who had become a wiggling speck on humanity's horizon. She is called a 'chippy,' because she is very pronounced in tone and the bird of the name is very much subdued. In the way of attention to dress she is cheap, nasty, and altogether to be eschewed as a model for those seeking entrance to the solemn portals of social recognition. But did you notice that she wore a sealskin sacque? That settles the sacque. It was genuine fur, too, though a year or so ago she would have contented herself with one of those weak imitations which were characterized as 'steal' skins. Now, however, her garment is only one shade behind that of your grand dame in both quality and cut—in fact, the unpracticed eye detects no difference."

"How has this birdling been able to fly so high? Surely the chippy cannot have become the peafowl any more than the deuce of clubs can change its spots."

"My dear Ishmael," rejoined the Philosopher, compassionately, "there are two reasons for this, which are self-evident to the wayfaring man who is not a pop-eyed imbecile. In the first place, the style of the short sealskin sacque has shortened the price of the garment almost in proportion to its abbreviation. But the sealskin on the installment plan is what has really brought it within the grasp of the bill tribes. The woman who cannot gather together $3 a month in fractional silver is poor indeed, and many there be who find them. So the sealskin is no longer a certain indication of wealth or unchastity—and its days are numbered. It stood the flauntings of anonyma, and retained its place as something to be desired, but long years of observation have thoroughly proven to my better sense that no garment can withstand the switching of the chippy. The wealthy syndicates who are struggling for the privilege of catching seals on those islands of the Behring, may be spending a great deal of very valuable time and more valuable money in obtaining something which will be of no more commercial profit than the exclusive right to net pollywogs in all the puddles."

"Don't you know that the newspapers of San Francisco are busily engaged in spiking their mightiest gun?" said the doctor, who had once been a newspaper man; and after picking the meat from a pecan, and sipping the last ultimate drop of his *café noir*, he leaned back to tell his fellow club men just what he meant. "The most powerful weapon in journalism is the interview, and I hate to see it ruined by a few Bashi Bazouks who have crept in behind the ranks under the guise of aiding the journalists in their fight against the serried ranks of the tradespeople. Really, however, the interview has been so weakened already that it is not effective and in a short time it will be about as offensively useless as a stinkpot in the warfare of today. Why? It's all on the account of the employment of cheap men. Cheap men are irresponsibles in the newspaper world, and the irresponsibility of interviews is robbing them of their force. I never can pick up a paper now-a-days and read what it says a man has said with any feeling of security that he really said it. This unsatisfactory uncertainty is bred of much bitter experience. I have foisted upon the world more queer theories of all things mundane than is given to most men to imagine, and all because I was once a newspaper man and have consequently been considered a proper victim for the interviewer. I have said columns of of things which I never thought, and half columns which I never dreamed—because I have been good-natured and lazy enough to talk freely instead of writing my own interviews. I have repeatedly been made the laughing stock of all my brother medical men. On one occasion I was made to refer to the amputation of the occipital bone, when I had merely told of an operation on a man's leg. Recently I found myself cited as an authority for certain symptoms of la grippe, which described nothing in the heavens above nor the earth beneath, except possibly a fall from a balloon or the feelings of a dollar when disparted from Nick Luning. So I'm against cheap journalism. I wish the Press Club would join the Federated Trades and order a strike whenever one of these journalistic apprentices, these misfits from the awkward squad of literature, was put to work to take a good man's place."

The *Examiner* continues its kaleidoscopic changes and bewildering flip-flops. After its recent heavy displays and startling editions it has gone to the other extreme, and is now floundering in the slough of parsimonious economy. To be sure, business in San Francisco has gone to the dogs since the storm and blockade, and the pinch of the merchants and poverty of the masses make themselves first felt in the advertising columns of the newspapers. To be sure, no new advertisements of any consequence are coming in—in fact, none of the papers dare send out their collectors to gather in what is due them for fear the presentation of a bill will scare the impoverished shopkeeper into a withdrawal of all his patronage. But this little matter of no business has hitherto seemed to be of consequence whatever to the Monarch. It has, to all intents and purposes, been run as a toy, and not as an enterprise. Men came and went as editors and managers, but the *Examiner* went right on spending money with a lavish hand.

But within the last few weeks there has been a squeeze which set the Press Club to chattering like a cage of parrots. It was told over the card table that all the men who had been doing the fancy space work on the paper were getting their wings clipped, and that wherever a cheap man could be made available an expensive one was not to be employed under any circumstances. Then the paper cut down its regular edition from ten pages to eight, shrinking to about the size of its loathed contemporary, the *Alta*, and at once the wildest rumors prevailed. There was talk of a complete collapse. It was that Bierce was to go and that Allen Kelley, Hamilton, and Haxton would be compelled, from lack of opportunity, to follow him. These rumors, however, turned out to have but slight foundation—so far as immediate developments are concerned. Haxton is away somewhere on a vacation and Kelley is off on one of his expeditions after a sensation. It is said that Hamilton will go back to Oakland, whence he came, but he always did value his services higher than his proprietors did, so the loss will be far from irreparable.

But perhaps the greatest astonishment was caused by the announcement that the position of Night Editor had been dispensed with, and that Harry D. Bigelow, who has held the position, was to go into the local room at a small salary. Bigelow, familiarly known as "Petie," has been considered the bosom friend of W. R. Hearst, and through all the changes and mutations he has held high place and lucrative employment until now. "There must be a hard pinch when it affects Petie," is the general comment.

"I tell you, the synagogue of the sacred spittoons is what has done the business," said one who pretended to know. Now, "the synagogue of the sacred spittoons" is the colloquial term for the new *Chronicle* building, having its origin in the four ultimate apexes of the high tower, where are displayed wooden shapes which look for all the world like four old-fashioned crockery spittoons. However, the man who pretends to know, continued; "Do you see that tower and that big clock? Of course you see them. It will bother you to get anywhere outdoors within a mile where you can't see them. Well, they worry young Mr. Hearst—worry him more than you have any idea of; and when De Young gets his electric light behind the face of that clock the worriment will be aggravated. He wants a building that will make De Young's structure look like a wart beside of Ossa—but he can't get it. He goes up and down in the land looking for a site, but the old gentleman, the Senator, says: 'If you want a building you just make the paper pay for it.' That's what he is trying to do."

In the meantime, Mr. De Young pats himself complacently and remarks with a quiet smile: "We never take up any holes in our belt. We find it necessary to let out a link every little while."

"You remember Stevens," said one Harvard man to another, as they sat before a big fire, while the recent storm was doing its level best to drown everything not under an umbrella. The other man did recall Stevens, and the speaker proceeded: "Well, his grandmother told me a good one on him a few days ago, and when I saw him drop eight hundred at poker that night without a groan I was impelled to contrast his childish faith with his mature works. Stevens, you know, was reared down there among the Puritans and was taught to believe things. In the old homestead manor were the usual double windows necessary in that frost bitten land, the outside or storm window having a swinging pane in it for ventilating purposes. One day when Stevey was o'er small, his grandmother went into the parlor and found him on a chair, the inner window raised, the ventilating pane open, and both fat hands out in the cold with the snow piling down on them.

"Come away from that window, quick! You'll catch your death o' cold," said grandma, sharply.

"'Sh!" answered Stevey; "I've just asked God to come down and shake hands with me, and I guess, he'll be here in a minute!"

"Now, you wouldn't think that of the Stevey of today, would you?"

"No; for, if his prayer was answered, God would have to shake a poker hand," cynically replies the other. ISHMAEL.

Doubted Him.
New York Sun.

He—Why, I love you so much, Ethel, that I'd die for you if you'd marry me.

She—I'd marry you if I believed it.

NO POETS, QUOTHA?

Why, the Woods Are Full of Them, Mr. Miller.

THE POET'S FEATHERED SONGSTER.

He Kissed and Told About It—The Girls of Walnut Creek—Ham and Eggs Poetry.

I read Joaquin Miller's lecture on poetry with a great deal of interest. It is true that it was for the most part glorified nonsense, but the glory was so vivid, so picturesque, so luminous, that I followed it from end to end. Yet it is not true that Nature, her various moods and tenses, are the only or even the principal inspiration of the poet. The old Greek poets knew nothing of nature and cared less. If they had felt its inspiration, we should have something of it in their work, but in fact there is none. Here and there they lug in by the scruff of the neck an awkward, long-legged simile, which sometimes has to do with birds, beasts, or fishes, clouds or trees, but these are dragged in with an evident effort and with little or no appreciation of what Mr. Miller deifies as Nature. To the Greeks of the classic period Nature and its forces were personified as a family of gods and goddesses, among whom they had divided those qualities, which we, for convenience, have been accustomed to attribute to the devil.

Mr. Miller believes that poetry only comes where there is a strong spirit of reverence. What is the matter with Shakespeare, then? I see that Mr. Miller is consistent. He does not altogether approve of Shakespeare. The truth is that a reverential spirit is scarcely possible in combination with a strong sense of humor such as Shakespeare had, and Chaucer, and Browning. It is not a common gift among the poets, but it did not prevent those three from writing poetry of the very first rank. Mr. Miller is himself wholly deficient in humor. I do not believe that he understood the exquisite humor of the story he told about the question put to him by the preacher who visited his home on Oakland heights:

"Will olives pay here?"

It was to Miller rather a matter of indignation more than amusement that an ordinary ham-and-eggs clergyman should betray a characteristic absorption in the dollar of the Fathers.

Who says we have no poets? Why, only last week I found in a San Jose paper the story told in verse by Fred Emerson Brooks how he kissed a maiden on the cars. For shame, Fred, to kiss and tell! He not only kissed her once, but he did it seven times, having previously put her to sleep. I quote:

Face no human praise could flatter!
Couldn't help from looking at her!
Offered her some reading matter!

Doubtless his own poems, for in the next verse we find her asking:

"If she took a little nap,
Would I guard her from mishap:
Give her just a little tap;
Wake her at the Garden City?"

Under the powerful influence of the poet's reading matter she was soon asleep, and the bard falls to musing:

Would I watch her?
Would I wake her?
Would I let conductor shake her?
Would I let the newsboy take her?
Gentle stranger, what would you?

The knights errant in the days of chivalry guarded maidens in distress from paynim dogs, from Gorgons, Hydras and Chimeras dire. The modern knight cannot scare up anything more terrible than the conductor, more hideous than the newsboy.

There is evidently a great future for poetry of the Brooks' brand. I can make a fair article of the poetry of commerce myself, like this:

Butter and cheese and a pound of ham,
Corned beef, hash, and rice curry lamb,
Sausages, pigs' feet, delicatessen.
Boiled sea bass and plenty of dressin'

That is the sort of poetry Mr. Brooks writes. How trippingly off the tongue of a waiter it would come in place of the present prosaic enumeration, and there is no reason why every waiter should not be his own poetaster.

I found in the Martinez *Gazette* another example of this type of poetry by an anonymous writer apostrophizing "The Girls of Walnut Creek."

Their songs are songs of angels, and their voices notes of larks:
Their lips — O muse preserve me—they would captivate a sparks.
They dance like fairies on the wing, or daughters of the gods,
And all exceed the excellence of bees upon the pods.

Let us analyze. Here is a man who has never heard the song of an angel, and, moreover, does not want to hear it. He has never heard the note of a lark, at least in California. He has never, nor has anybody, seen a fairy on the wing, or on foot, or on horseback, or even in a Gurney cab. He has never met a daughter of the gods, either in Walnut Creek or in Milpitas, and, yet, he writes of all these things, because, having no meaning, they convey his idea exactly. He reaches a noble and fitting climax in the line,

And all exceed the excellence of bees upon the pods.

I presume, he has seen a bee sitting on the pod, but what does the bee do when he gets there?

The poem is so good an example of its class, that I cannot forbear quoting two more verses:

I've lived near by for many years and seen these children grow
From infants small, to ladies tall, and now I'm fit to go;
To leave this fair, enchanted place, to step from six to seven;
Bid last adieu to Walnut Creek, and then ascend to heaven.

And then above the deep blue sky, above the stars of night,
As I gaze upon the jasper gates and old Paul robed in white,
I'll say, "O Paul, stop rain and all, and send me back this week;
I'll give up you, and Heaven, too, for the girls of Walnut Creek.

Paul does not do business that way. After you ascend to heaven, Mr. Man, you will stay there and no foolishness with the Girls of Walnut Creek.

Editor Dana was consulted some time ago by a young man who wanted to be advised whether he had better go on trying to be a poet or give it up. He sent some of his work, which it is not necessary to quote, because it is of the type already sufficiently exemplified from the work of Mr. Brooks and the Gentleman from Walnut Creek, and here is Dana's advice:

We decidedly advise Mr. Haggin to keep at the poetical line. He displays an unusual talent for putting together these high-toned sentimentalities of expression, and those subtle vacuities of sense which play so large a part in our modern poetry. It is impossible to condemn an author who possesses our correspondent's facility of phrasing, on the ground that he is a fool; and it is equally impossible to suppose that a gentleman who can talk so much and say so little, does not know what he is about. By all means let Mr. Haggin go ahead.

Talking of poetry and Locke Richardson and the sort of criticism of the hairsplitting sort with which he bored his audiences, Andrew Lang tells an exquisite fable about a poet's dream of his entrance to the Paradise of Poetry. Outside the gates he saw this among other things

"I also met a society of gentlemen in Greek costume of various ages, from a half naked minstrel with a tortoise shell lyre in his hand to an elegant of the age of Pericles. They all consorted together, talking various dialects of Doric, Ionian and Attic Greek, and so forth, which were plainly not intelligible to each other. I ventured to ask one of the company who he was, but he, with a sweep of his hand, said, 'We are Homer!' When I expressed my regret and surprise that the Golden Gate had not yet opened for so distinguished, so collective, an artist, my friend answered that, according to Fick, Pempmuller and many other learned men, *he* were Homer. 'But an imposter from Chios has got in somehow,' he said, 'They don't pay the least attention to the Germans in the Paradise of Poets.'

It was Harrison Gray Otis, of Los Angeles, who promised us the American Homer in the natural process of semi-tropical evolution. I suspect that he feels the Homeric microbe quicken in his heart of hearts, for I find much lurid palpitating prose in his columns. I take the liberty to quote a couple of sentences descriptive of Spring in the citrus belt:

Listen to the singing of the birds, and watch the fluttering of the golden butterfly's wings. Hear the lark pouring out his flood of melody as he soars from his nest amid the emerald grasses and rises to the deep blue of the bending skies.

How is it that none of them can get away from that devilish lark? And his tuneful lay? A California lark never laid anything more tuneful than an egg. The Los Angeles Homer might with greater propriety have exclaimed: "Get on to the hippopotamus as he grazes on the orange orchard," for a hippopotamus might have escaped from a circus, but a singing lark never. The Gentleman from Walnut Creek had him bad—in the plural, and made him rhyme with a "sparks." In the name of the High Olympus, of Phœbus Apollo of the silver bow, of the Great God Pan, and the Little God Orpheus who went to hell, tell me: What is a sparks? No poets, Mr. Miller? Why, the woods are full of them.

EDWARD F. CAHILL.

"Block," vs. "Square."
Philadelphia Inquirer.

"That man," said the observant Philadelphian, "is from New York, so is his companion."

"Those two who just passed us?"

"Yes."

"How do you know?"

"I overheard a few words of their conversation."

"Well?"

"One of them said that he was going to 'Chestnut and Ninth streets,' and the other replied that it was 'three blocks further across.' A Philadelphian would have said he was going to 'Ninth and Chestnut,' and another Philadelphian might have remarked that it was 'three squares out.' When you hear a man say 'blocks,' or, in naming a corner, put the numbered street last, it were well to assume a dignified reserve, for that man is a New Yorker."

Epicurean Philadelphia.
Cath, in Cincinnati Enquirer.

Philadelphia is one of the best fed cities on the globe; it is the capital of salads, hardly inferior to Baltimore in stewing terrapin, and handles oysters with a good deal of fine art. I should say that, at the present day, Philadelphia was the best fed American city, and that it has passed Baltimore in the gastronomic delights. Its Delmonico is a Mr. Boldt, who feeds from 1000 to 1200 persons every day at a new lunch or repast in the Bullitt building, on Fourth street, and who keeps, besides, two hotels, standing immediately opposite each other—one of the paradise of gourmands and the other a family house. He told me that he came from the island of Rugen, at the mouth of the Oder river, about half way between Berlin and Copenhagen.

The Gentlemen Will Take Notice.
Pittsburg Dispatch.

Professor P. E. Howland of Boston is an English cobbler who has won a reputation at the Hub as a prophet. He claims to have been educated in the art of reading coming events by the leading clairvoyants in Europe. He has been interviewed in regard to the outlook for the coming year. Some of his prophecies regarding public men are interesting. He says: "Blaine will die. So will General Butler and Samuel J Randall. Ex-President Hayes has a black mark before his life. I cannot say it is death. Cleveland is all right. So is Thurman, and Reed, and Jay Gould, and Harrison, and Hill, and Depew. Gladstone and Queen Victoria will live, but the Czar will commit suicide.

PLATFORM AND PEN

Orator and Writer Cursorily Compared.

THE STUDY VERSUS THE STUMP.

Why the Ready Speaker is Rarely, If Ever, a Ready Scribe, and Vice Versa.

"No, I don't, by any means, regard Henry George as a good platform speaker," said a gentleman who formed a unit of the large crowd which filled Hamilton Hall on Thursday night to listen to the Apostle of the Single Tax, expound by word of mouth the theory which he gave first to the world in print in his famous volume, "Progress and Poverty." "I consider him only a fair speaker," continued Mr. George's critic. "He lacks the fluency, the voice, the presence, and the magnetism of the successful public orator. He has a slow—even dragging—delivery, and while he can hardly be said to be ever at a loss for a word, there is the suggestion of labor in the way in which he brings out the short and rather jerky clauses of his sentences. No one can say, that he does not make his meaning clear to the minutest detail; and, in this, he resembles the mills of the gods, for he grinds his subject exceeding small; but he, also, resembles them in the other characteristic attributed to them by the poet, inasmuch as he grinds slowly—with a slowness, indeed, that borders, almost, on the tedious. And his bodily presence, if not like that of Saul of Tarsus, actually contemptible, is certainly anything but impressive, while his gesticulations are far from graceful or appropriate. As to his magnetism, I doubt whether he has, naturally, enough of that most valuable quality in a public speaker for a man to swear by, and the attention usually accorded to him at his public appearances, seems to me to be largely, if not altogether, owing to the fame he has acquired by his writings, his interference in the land questions which have so long agitated Scotland and Ireland, his candidacy for the Mayoralty of New York, and his 'hoodoo' influence on the ecclesiastical fortunes of Dr. Edward McGlynn. Everybody wants to see a man who has made such a fuss in the world, and set men to thinking, and talking whether for good or evil.

"I do not speak in this way out of any spirit of captious criticism of Mr. George, nor do I by any means dissent from the main points of his doctrine. But I have long ago come to the conclusion that a successful writer is almost necessarily more or less of a failure when he attempts public speaking. This is not, necessarily, because he is deficient in natural aptitude for oratory, but frequently because his training and mental habits have been in the direction of comparatively slow and careful thought, and because he has been always, in his literary work, obliged to pay careful attention to the words in which his ideas have to be clothed and to the 'style' which constitutes the *tout ensemble* in which they are to capture the literary taste of the reader.

Just think for a moment how few of our great writers have been good public speakers. I do not refer to 'after-dinner talk across the walnuts and the wine,' but to lectures, political speeches or debates in the halls of legislation. Nor do I refer to those burlesques of public speakers, who stick to their manuscript and are helpless unless they keep their eye and their index finger on each individual line. A real public speaker, as I understand the term, means a man who, if he does not speak extempore, at least seems to his audience to do so, and who is independent of anything in the way of reference more extensive than brief notes. Such a man is rarely, if ever, found in the ranks of the writers.

"And the rule will equally well bear reversion. Few great public speakers are successful when they sit down to commit their ideas to black and white. Gladstone, great debater, lucid and forcible speaker though he be, is by no means a great writer. When he discusses any subject in print, his style becomes involved, turgid, and verbose. He evidently lacks the spur supplied by the excitement of debate, and the clarifying effect of the knowledge that he must make every point tell if he would score a success. Disraeli's famous hit at this characteristic of the Grand Old Man was decidedly appropriate to the writings, if not to the speeches of Gladstone. "The gentleman," said Disraeli, "is intoxicated with the copiousness of his own verbosity." As a matter of fact, the only instance in which Gladstone was ever known to be terse in his writing was in his answers to some of his correspondents, *when he used a postal card.*

"Henry George is decidedly fine writer. His great book, "Progress and Poverty," is not only a able exposition of the politico-economical reform which he may be said to have unearthed, if not discovered. It is also an impassioned, pointed and successful denunciation of the causes that have led to the existence, in the midst of our boasted civilization, which of the misery, the suffering and the crime which result from and accompany a grinding poverty. And for this I say, all honor to him, and God speed the cause he advocates, however defective the means he uses may be considered.

"The reason why the student, the author, whose place is by the desk and whose audience is only in his imagination and among the possibilities of the future, is not, as a rule, a good public speaker seems to me to be readily found in a sensation, something very much akin to stage fright, which is bound to seize upon one who emerges from the habitual seclusion of the study to the unaccustomed and dazzling light that beats on a public platform. How often is it the case, that the speech carefully prepared for the occasion drops out of a speaker's recollection as suddenly and as completely as a stage ghost through a trap-door, leaving the would-be orator a sight to be pitied by gods and men.

"The stump speaker, and even the successful platform speaker, of a higher grade, is necessarily less dependent on previous preparation and more reliant on the inspiration of the moment, drawing that inspiration and many valuable suggestions largely from the moods and temper of his audience, and being thus accustomed to a freer atmosphere and a larger latitude both of ideas and expression, he naturally feels cramped and shackled when harnessed to a pen and cramped by the demands of careful style and elaborate expression.

"I repeat, however, that in saying this I am not in any sense belittling Henry George. I only note a remarkable and significant fact. Mr. George cannot help that nature did not fit him out with the equipments of an orator. Most people will be entirely thankful that he is such an able, forcible, and convincing writer, and be content to applaud him as a 'Tribune of the Commons,' in spite of the fact that he is not 'an orator as Brutus was.'"

LIFE IN FORT WORTH.

It Used to Present Some Lively Features to the Stranger Who Tarried There.
St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

"I've been in every city in the United States," said a well known man about town recently, "and I've been in some pretty tough places; but I have yet to see a man shot or stabbed. After all," he continued, "there's a deal of rot talked about the danger one encounters in plains towns. However, I remember one funny thing apropos of killing. I was at Fort Worth, Tex., a number of years ago, waiting to meet a Mexican capitalist, got bored, hunted up a faro bank—it was upstairs over a saloon, I remember—and started in with very good luck, which stuck to me. I made three plays against the bank on as many evenings, and on the last occasion the 'man on the high chair,' who happened to be the proprietor, came over at the end of a deal, and tapping me on the shoulder, whispered:

"'Yer kin go on playin', stranger, but y'll hev ter wait 'till tomorrer fer yer money, if yer win. We're on the secon' bank roll, and we're eight hundred short—av you'uns chips now.'

"I had broken the bank and $800 over. I quit playing, of course, and went out to find myself famous as 'the feller from the North what broke Jem's bank.' Everyone did me honor, and the next evening a number of citizens took me to the theater to occupy a box with them. During the pause between a bad song and dance and an awful serio-comic ballad one gentleman commenced pointing out local celebrities:

"'See that long fellow yonder in a sombrero and calzeronzas,' and he pointed out a semi-Mexican with a villainous face and a long knife. 'Well, he's killed his man; and that other one with the shiny hat, three rows in front, has two graves for his record. Then over near the piano is Sleepy Bill of Dallas; he's put out anyhow three lights, and his pardner, who just went out for a drink, has done full as well.' Thus far my 'lecturer on life' had spoken in an ordinary conversational tone, and without any apparent awe in tone or look. Suddenly his voice dropped to a low whisper and his eyes fairly bulged as he muttered:

"'Great shakes! Look over in that box opposite. See that sallow complexioned man with the broadcloth frock and diamond ring? As I live that's Brownsville Charlie. He's croaked six and has it in for me. He's looking this way. Guess I'll say good evening.'

"I'll never forget that piano drop in the man's voice, and I'm likely to remember that I didn't wait for the salutation but skipped to my hotel, and thence, on the first train, northward. Maybe I wasn't in any danger, but I couldn't tell how straight the fellow could shoot, nor how soon and how suddenly he might open the fusilade."

He Conquered.
Chicago Tribune.

"Since this is your final answer, Miss Ticklowell," said the young man bitterly, "I submit to my fate. I can only say, in the words of Aristotle"—

"Do you read Aristotle, Mr. Ferguson!" exclaimed the beautiful Boston girl, a vivid blush crimsoning her pale cheek. "Why, he is my favorite author! Mr. Ferguson, give me a little time to think of this matter again. I—I am not sure but—but that"——

Did Very Well Without It.
Philadelphia Inquirer.

Miss Chestnut—Did you sit under the mistletoe?

Miss Walnut—I didn't have to.

RAISED THE LIMIT.

The Aristocracy of New York More Than Trebled.

THE WHOLE THING IS A HUGE JOKE.

How the News of Important Social Functions is Gathered—An Anglo-Maniac Backdown.

The New Year's Ball, under the management of Ward McAllister, must be regarded as authoritatively and fixedly extending the limits of what he funnily regards as "our best society" from four hundred members to fourteen hundred, writes the New York correspondent of the Indianapolis *News*. That is the real significance of the occasion, for he said in repeated interviews that everybody attending that dance was thereby branded permanently as "exclusive." It should be explained to readers out of New York, and who see so much in print regarding this particular portion of our population, that the whole matter is a huge joke to New York people. There is no serious acknowledgement of an aristocracy in this town. McAllister folks are as good, and no better, than their opportunities of refinement should make them. Some are polite and cultured, while others are boorish and coarse. A careful scrutiny of them in assembly at this ball revealed no characteristics peculiar to them. They looked and acted like any other congregation of rich and fashionable people. The fact is incontestable, however, and I do not cite it in disparagement, that they do assiduously court conspicuous publicity. Our newspapers next morning were full of portraits of belles of this "exclusive" ball, and the pictures were drawn from the photographs provided willingly by the original personages.

My readers may be curious to know just how such an occasion is reported for the journals. Some years ago, when the famous Patriarchs and the several other small and almost painfully select dancing coteries were started, their promoters undertook to follow the London aristocratic usage of having newspaper reporters dance attendance in the corridor entrances. The city editors were coolly informed that the reporters would be admitted to a special pressroom, where information would be given them, but they would not be allowed to mix with the guests. The unanimous reply was that the members of the city staff were gentlemen, who could not be subjected to any such treatment. In cases of important news they were willing to undergo any necessary ordeal, but not for the mere exploitation of a small section of society at a ball. The anglo-maniacs backed down precipitately and the reporters were indistinguishable from the other guests. The question came up again with larger importance, in the estimation of Manager McAllister, when this New Year's ball was planned. It would not do to risk journalistic inattention, and at the same time McAllister desired to avoid issuing separate and distinct invitations. Each subscriber to the ball paid his share of the expense, and had his share of tickets for distribution to persons for whom he was willing to become sponsor. The press puzzle was finally solved by having a sufficient number of these subscribers each devote one his invitations to a reporter from a newspaper. Thus the chroniclers were there in all the nicety of evening dress, and I saw at least one of them—himself a well-established member of the four hundred—dancing with Mrs. William Astor in a cotillon. Of course these gentlemen did not display pencils and notebooks on the dancing floor, but did their writing in a room set apart for that purpose.

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Constantinople, Its Mosques and Its Harems.

Mrs. Weaver's Lecture on the City of the Golden Horn—A Political Prediction.

"Constantinople, the City of the Golden Horn," was a well-chosen subject for the poetic tendencies of Mrs. Philip L. Weaver to expatiate upon in her discourse before the Starr King Fraternity last night, and was handled by that lady in a manner productive of much entertainment to her auditors. As a prelude to her discourse, Miss Cora Winchell rendered "Bagatelle" on the piano in a skillful manner, and then Rev. Charles W. Wendte in a few well-chosen complimentary words introduced Mrs. Weaver and left that lady to her own devices.

The speaker soon had her audience enthusiastic with the subject. She carried them away in her flights of imagination past the isles sung of by the poets of old, to the golden straits of the Bosphorus, with their fairy-like background of gilded mosques and palaces. Here was Constantinople, the key of the Mediterranean, the home of Oriental splendor and the land of fable, presenting with its contrasts of wealth and poverty, grandeur and squalor, a typical Mohammedan city. Towering high above its fellows gleams the dome of the mosque of St. Sophia, where in days gone by St. John Chrysostom preached the cross of Christ to thousands of devout and attentive worshippers. Go within it today and see the contrast. Mohammed has taken the place of Christ and fanatical Moslems make its gilded walls echo with their cry: "There is but one God and Mohammed is His prophet!" The change came with the march of the Turkish hordes in 1453 and their capture of, and dominance over the Empire of the West.

No other city but Constantinople can boast of such palaces as those occupied by the Sultan and his nobility—the pashas. Dwellings with walls and walks of prophyry, inner courts, where fountains spray forth perfumed waters from marbled basins and harems guarded by black visaged eunuchs, and denizened by Circassian maidens sold into slavery. Then there are the bazars containing rugs, carpets and artistic work of almost priceless value, and where camels, donkeys, men and women jostle together in one happy harmony.

In reviewing the political situation Mrs. Weaver told of the ceaseless efforts of Russia to obtain possession of Constantinople and the determination of the rest of the European nations not to let the bear invade the sanctuary of "the sick man." She described the almost impregnability of the city with its background of high hills, its fifty miles of batteries along the sea of Marmora and its passes where armies would be the prey of a few thousand sharpshooters.

In conclusion, the lecturer predicted that one day Constatinople would be an independent city, protected by the combined powers of Europe, and then with slavery and the present vicious system abolished, the home of Constantine might again rise to eminence among the cities of the world.

The lecture was followed by the singing of "Magnolia Waltz," in a very charming manner by Miss May Ainsworth, and then the evening's entertainment was over.

"FOR THE CAUSE."

Single-Tax Supporters Hard at Work—The Oakland Poor.

Henry George's lecture at Hamilton Hall on Thursday evening was a financial as well as a political success, for although the price of admission was very low there was found to be a surplus of $70 after liquidating all expenses. This balance was offered to Mr. George, and he declined it, telling President Gregg of the Single Tax Club to keep it for the good of the cause, but it was insisted that he take it, so he finally put it in his pocket. He handed the secretary $20 before leaving the city, however, and last night, when the club met in Pythian Hall, the question of the disposition of the money was brought up.

President Gregg said that circulars explanatory of single tax workings ought to be sent to merchants, ministers and laborers, and that, owing to Mr. George's visit, this is a good time to extend the good work.

In a discussion on the condition of the poor of Oakland, the Secretary stated that he had figured that during the recent six weeks' severe weather the loss of wages to this community amounted to $240,000, estimated at $10 a week for each laborer. Rents, however, had not decreased, and in one instance a poor woman had been turned into the street by a non-crediting landlord.

No decision was reached by the club as to the method of extension of the work, but now that the subject is on the tapis something will be speedily done.

SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

Feb	H. W. Small.	L. W. Large.	H. W. Large.	L. W. Small.	Sun R.	Sun S.
8..	1.16 P	8.04 P	2.29 A	7.46 A	7.06	5.42
9..	2.12 P	8.41 P	2.52 A	8.34 A	7.05	5.43
10..	3.17 P	9.20 P	3.19 A	9.29 A	7.04	5.44
		Small		Large		
11..	4.39 P	10.07 P	3.49 A	10.25 A	7.03	5.45
12..	6.31 P	11.05 P	4.31 A	11.36 A	7.02	5.46
13..	8.12 P	0.00 A	5.24 A	0.49 P	7.01	5.47
14..	9.23 P	0.09 A	6.25 A	1.59 P	7.00	5.48

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

TO ARRIVE.

NAME.	FROM.	DATE.
State of California	Portl'd & Astoria	Feb. 9
Pomona	Eureka*	Feb. 9
City of Puebla	Victoria	Feb. 10
Gaelic	China and Japan	Feb. 11
City of Sydney	Panama	Feb. 12
Humboldt	Eureka*	Feb. 13

TO DEPART.

NAME	FOR	DATE.
Mariposa	Sydney*	Feb. 8
Walla Walla	Victoria*	Feb. 9
Santa Rosa	Portland*	Feb. 9
Humboldt	Eureka*	Feb. 12
State of California	Portland*	Feb. 13
Corona	San Diego	Feb. 13

*And way ports.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

San Francisco.....February 8, 1890

Arrived.

FRIDAY, February 7.

Stmr Ajax, Donaldson, 39 hours from Coos Bay; pass and mds, to O C & N Co.

Stmr Arago, Thomas, 41 hours from Coos Bay; 740 tons coal to Oregon Coal and Navigation Co.

Stmr Santa Maria, Denny, 72 hours from San Diego; mdse, to D J Meherin.

Stmr Mexico, Alexander, 45 hours from San Diego; pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Empire, Butler, 8 days from Departure Bay; 791 tons coal, to R D Chandler.

Stmr Point Loma, Conway, 22 hours from Humboldt; 300 M ft lumber, to E L Alden.

Stmr Arcata, Marshall, 54 hours from Coos Bay; pass and mdse to O C & N Co.

Stmr City of Topeka, Wallace, 99 hours from Departure Bay; 731 tons coal, to John L Howard.

Stmr Willamette, Hanson, 84 hours from Seattle; 2650 tons coal, to Oregon Improvement Co.

Br bark Frances Fisher, Lewis, 78 days from Newcastle, NSW; 2240 tons coal, to Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

Schr Jennie Wand, Christophersen, 48 hours from Humboldt; 260 M ft lumber, to Chas Nelson.

Schr Annie Gee, Olsen, 20 days from Grays Habor; 210 M ft lumber, to S E Slade & Co.

Schr Jennie Thelin, Olsen, 6 days from Humboldt; 160 M ft lumber, to C A Hooper & Co.

Schr Occidental, Nelson, 5 days from Humboldt; 240 M ft lumber, to McKay & Co.

Schr Esther Buhne, Sunerud, 44 hours from Humboldt Bay; 350 M ft lumber, to T H Minor.

Cleared.

FRIDAY, February 7.

Stmr Humboldt, Jessen, Eureka; Searles & Stone.

Bark Pearl, Manning, Melbourne, Parrott & Co.

Brig Consuelo, Watts, Kahului; J D Spreckels & Co.

Sailed.

FRIDAY, February 7.

Stmr Los Angeles, Leland, Wilmington.
Stmr Yaquina, Plummer, Santa Cruz.
Stmr National City, Koenig, Humboldt.
Br ship Dundee, Low, Hull.
Schr John McCullough, Astmann.

Telegraphic.

POINT LOBOS, Feb. 7—10 P M—Weather hazy; wind NE; velocity 8 miles.

☞NOTICE.—For births, marriages and deaths too late for this column see fifth or eighth page.

BORN.

HEATH—In this city, January 27, to the wife of John Heath, a daughter.
LEVY—In San Francisco, February 7, to the wife of Lazare Levy, a son.
SCHAAR—In this city, February 2, to the wife of Frank Schaar, a son.

MARRIED.

CASE-JOHNSON—In Martinez, May 16 1889, J. R. Case and Miss M. A. Johnson.
CLANCY-MURRAY—In San Francisco, January 26, Richard Clancy and Margaret Ann Murray.
ROTHSCHILD-ROTSCHILD—In San Francisco February 5, Abe Rothschild and Nettie Rothschild.
GOLDSMITH-SODERSTROM—In San Francisco, February 6, Bernard Goldsmith and Katy Soderstrom.
THAYER-RENOUARD—In Butte City, Mont., January 29, Benjamin B. Thayer and Marie Renouard.
FONDA-PODD—In San Francisco, February 6, William M. Fonda and Laura M. Podd.

DIED.

McKEOWN—In Alvarado, February 7, Joseph McKeown, a native County Kerry, Ireland, aged 67 years. A member of Crusade Lodge No.93, I. O. O. F.
☞Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 11 A. M. from I. O. O. F. Hall, Alvarado. Interment, cemetery at Dry Creek.
WATERHOUSE—In Pinole, February 7, Mrs. Bridget Waterhouse, a native of County Roscommon, Ireland, aged 86 years.
JACOBSEN—In San Francisco, February 7, Peter Jacobsen, a native of Denmark, aged 57 years.
WISE—In San Francisco, February 7, Elizabeth Wise, a native of England, aged 62 years.
KERWIN—In San Francisco, February 7, Patrick Kerwin, a native of Ireland, aged 57 years.
McKEOWN—In Alvarado, February 7, Hon Joseph McKeown, a native of Ireland, aged 57 years.
REHIAN—In San Francisco, Francisco, February 7, Andrew Rehian, a native of Bavaria, aged 58 years, 6 months and 7 days.
McCUE—In San Rafael, February 7, Michael J. McCue, a native of Ireland, aged 37 years.
TONNIES—In San Francisco, February 7, Augusta Tonnies, a native of Germany, aged 68 years.
WHITE—In San Francisco City and County Hospital, February 7, Charles White, a native of New York, aged 48 years.

PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR—City Superfine, $2 80@$3 10; interior brands, $4 00@4 20 for extras and $3 20@$2 80 for superfine; family extras $4 00@4 20; Bakers' extras, $4 05.

WHEAT—Extra choice Milling, 30@—; $1 32½; No. 2, $1 22½@1 27½; No. 1, $1 26¼@1 25.

BARLEY—No. 1 Feed, —@77½c; lower grades, 75—@76½c; Brewing, 82½c@—90.

OATS—Surprise, $1 40 @ 1 50—; choice feed, 1 35—@——; No. 1 feed, $1 30@1 32½; lower grades, $1 22½@$1 20; Gray Oats, $1 20@1 30— ⅌ ctl.

CORN—Yellow, —@ 1 05— ctl; White, 1 10@$1 10.

RYE—Quotable at 95c@ $1 00⅌ ctl.

MIDDLINGS—$18 50@19 50⅌ ton.

MILLSTUFFS, Ground Barley, $18@19; Oilcake Meal, $30 ⅌ ton; Rye Flour, 3; Rye Meal, 2½c; Graham Flour, 3c; Oatmeal, 4½c; Cracked Wheat, 3½c; Buckwheat Flour, 5c; Pearl Barley, 4½@4¾c ⅌ lb.

COORNMEAL, ETC.—Table Meal, 2¾c ⅌ lb; Feed and Cracked Corn, $22—@22½—ton; Hominy, 4c ⅌ lb.

BRAN—$14½@14 ⅌ ton for best, $12—@13—for lower grades and outside brands.

HAY — Wheat $7@12 00; Oat $7 @$10; Wild Oat, $7@$11 00; Barley, $6@$9—; Wheat and Oat, $9@$12 50⅌ ton.

STRAW—Quotable at 45@55c ⅌ bale.

SEEDS—Yellow Mustard, $1 90 @ 2 00; Brown Mustard, $2 50@3 5; Flax, $3@3 25; ⅌ ctl; Canary, 4c; Hemp, 4¾@5c; Rape, 1½@2; Timothy, 5¾@6; Alfalfa 8½@—c ⅌ lb.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $2 00@ 1 90 Eastern Green, $3 50@—⅌ ctl; Split Peas, 6½c ⅌ lb.

BEANS—Pea, $2 20@1 90; Pink, $1 80@2 00; Small White, $2 05@1 75; Red, nominal; Bayos, $3 20@2 90; Butter, $1½@$1 90 ⅌ ctl.

FRUITS—We quote as follows:

Cranberries per bbl	$12@13
Apples ⅌ box	$1 75@$2 50
Riverside Lemons, ⅌ box	$2 50@3
Mexican Limes, ⅌ box	$9 00 @8 00
California Lemons, ⅌ box	$2—@3
Bananas, ⅌ bunch	$2@2 50c
Pineapples, ⅌ doz	$3 50@4 50
Oranges, per box	$1 25@3 50

DOMESTIC DRIED FRUITS — Pitted Plums, 3 @4c; Sun fried Apples, sliced, 5@6c, quarters, 3½@4½c ⅌ lb; evaporated, 8½ @9c ⅌ lb Apricots, 10@12c ⅌ lb for sundried, 12½@14c for evaporated; Peaches, 5@7½c for sundried; sundried peeled, bleached 18@22½; evaporated peeled, —@25

VEGETABLES—We quote as follows:

Cabbage ⅌ ctl	75@ 60
Turnips, ⅌ ctl	50@75c
Parsnips, ⅌ ctl	$1
Garlic, ⅌ lb	9@10c
Carrots, ⅌ ctl	40@50c
Beets, ⅌ sk	60@75c
Peppers, dried, ⅌ lb	—@8—c
Green Peppers, ⅌ lb	6—@7c
Okra, Dry ⅌ lb	17½@20
Okra, Green, ⅌ box	$—@—c

POTATOES—Peerless $—— @$——; River Reds, $1 65@1 50; E. Rose, $1 80@$1 60—; Burbank Seedlings, $1 90—@$1 25; Sweets, $1 00@$1 50 per ctl.

ONIONS—New, $1½@1½c for common; $2 00@$2 75, for good to choice per ctl.

BUTTER—Store 10@12½c; fancy, 19—@20—common to fair, 13@14—c; good to choice 17 @ 19c: Eastern, 10@11c ⅌ lb.

CHEESE—California, 11—@9—c; fair, 6c, good, 9c; cased ½ cent additional; Eastern, 12½@13½c ⅌ lb.

EGGS—California Ranch, 22—@23—⅌ doz; Store Eggs, 29—@30—c; Eastern, 19—@17—c.

POULTRY—Geese, ⅌ pair, $ 2 25@ 1 75 Ducks, ⅌ dozen, $5—@7—; Hens, $6 50@5 50; Roosters, 5 00@$3 50; young, do, $7 00@$6 00; Broilers, $5 50@6½, Turkeys, live, Hens, 18@16c ⅌ lb; Gobblers, 14@16c.

GAME—Rabbits, $1 50@1½; Hare, $1½@1 75 per dozen; Quail, $1 ½@ 1 ¾per dozen Mallards, $4 50@5½; Teal $2 50@2—⅌ doz

TALLOW—Fair to good rendered, 4@4½c per lb.; Refined, 6@6½c ⅌ lb; Grease c ⅌ lb.

General Merchandise.

BAGS—Calcuttas, 6¾@6⅞c Spot; May and June 7—@7½——; Potato Gunnies, 17@16c; Wool bags, nominal.

SUGAR—Refinery prices are quotable as follows, terms net cash: Cube, bbls 7—c; Crushed, 6¾c, Powdered, 6¾c; extra fin powdered 6¾c; Fine Crushed, 7¼c Dry Granulated, 6¾c; Confectioners' A, 6¼c; Golden C, 4¾c; Extra C, bbls, 5⅛c; Half bbls, ¼c and boxes ¼c more for all kinds.

San Francisco Meat Market.

Wholesale prices are as follows:

BEEF—Extra choice —@— First quality; —7c@7½; second quality, 6½c@—; third do 5—@6—c ⅌ lb.

VEAL—Large, 5—@7c; small calves, 8½@7½c ⅌ lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7c@7½; ewes, 6½@7; spring lamb, 10c@——c ⅌ lb.

PORK—Live Hogs, 4¾@5— for grain fed Hogs 4¾@4¾ for Heavy Packing; Stock and 4¾@4¾c per lb; Dressed 5½@7½c edp pound.

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1000	" youths' tourist do, 11-13	1 15
400	" " " ½	1 25
1000	" " " extra, $1 25 to	1 50
500	" boys' tourist shoes $1 50 to	2 00
500	" men's working shoes	1 50
1500	" " " $2 00 to	2 50
3000	" ladies' goat, kid, and calf	$1 75 to 2 25

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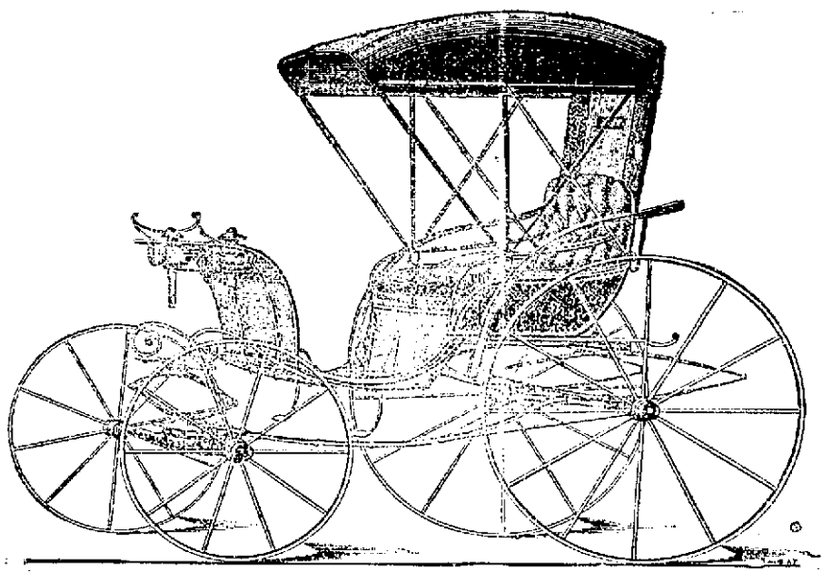

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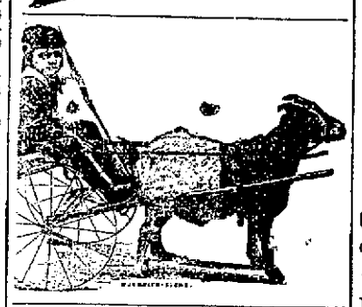

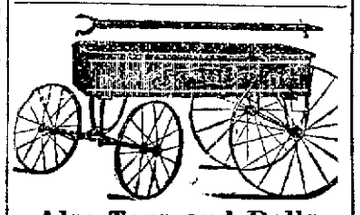

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,675, award the contract for the following:

That Twenty-second avenue, in said city, from the center of East 16th street to the wooden sewer in 22nd avenue, near East 14th street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe six inches in diameter, having 10 "Y" branches of five inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon, and having 4 "Y" branches of six-inch openings, two to each alley; also, that two brick ventilating manholes, with two curved branches each, be constructed thereon, one at center of East 15th street and one at the center of East 16th street; also, that East 15th street, from the sewer in 22nd avenue to a point half way to 21st avenue, be sewered with a six inch vitrified ironstone pipe having 12 "Y" branches of 5-inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon; also, that one brick ventilating manhole at upper end of sewer in East 15th street be constructed thereon, as called for in Resolution No. 14,538, and in the Notice to Contractors, heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to P. Heverin, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,678, award the contract for the following:

That Louise street, in said city, from the sewer in "B" street to the south line of Emery's tract, distant 561.1 feet northerly from the north line of "B" street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight (8) inches in diameter, with 35 "Y" branches of six-inch openings, one to each lot thereon; also, that two brick ventilating manholes, one at head of sewer, the other 300 feet southerly, be constructed thereon; also, that one iron ventilating manhole, just north of "B" street crossing, be constructed, as called for in Resolution No. 14,604, and in the Notice to Contractors, heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to John Geary, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY, City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Notice of Award of Street Contract

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,673 award the contract for the following:

That Thirty first street, in said city, from the sewer in Market street to the sewer in West street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight inches in diameter; also, that 48 "Y" branches of 5-inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon, one iron ventilating manhole at Market street crossing, and one brick ventilating manhole half way between Market and West streets, be constructed thereon, as called for in Resolution No. 14,559, and in the Notice to Contractors heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof, to P. Heverin, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

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NEW CHURCH BUILDING IN ALAMEDA.

Timely Topics Upon Which the Pastors of the Churches Will Preach to Their Congregations.

Rev. J. K. McLean, pastor of the First Congregational Church, expects to occupy his pulpit tomorrow. In the morning he will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Silcox of East Oakland, who will preach the sermon, and in the evening by Rev. C. H. Williams, lately of Meriden, Conn., who will preach at night.

Dr. Heacock will preach morning and evening in the Eighth Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church. Sunday school at 12:30 o'clock. Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M.

At the German Methodist Episcopal Church, on Seventeenth street, A. Lemkan, the pastor, will preach morning and evening. Subject for morning sermon, "Laboring to Enter Into Heavenly Rest." For evening, "Tasting and Seeing the Goodness of God."

Tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. L. N. Early will preach at the Christian Church, Thirteenth and Market streets. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:15 P. M.

The Theosophical Society will hold an open meeting tomorrow at 7:30 P. M. in the lecture room of the synagogue, corner Clay and Thirteenth streets. Miss M. A. Walsh will address the meeting on "Theosophy as Scientific Religion," followed by answers to questions. All are invited.

Rev. Dr. Horton will conduct public worship morning and evening at the First Presbyterian Church, Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Theme for morning, "Character From Creed." Evening, "In Company With Jesus When 'The Shadow of the Cross Falls for the First Time Across His Path,'" a soul-stirring occasion.

At the First Methodist Episcopal Church, the pastor will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject: "Certainties in Religion;" evening subject: "When the King Comes In." Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M.

At the Welsh Presbyterian Church there will be preaching at 11 A. M. by Rev. R. J. Roberts. Sunday school at 12; and preaching at 7:30 P. M. by Rev. Moses Williams, theme, "Spiritual Life Insurance."

At the Universalist Chapel, tomorrow morning, the ninth sermon in the course on Lessons from the Life of Christ, will be given by the pastor, Rev. S. Gooderough, subject: "The Sermon on the Mount—the Value of Preaching."

First Baptist Church, corner of Brush and Fourteenth streets. Services at the usual hour. Rev. S. B. Partridge of Swatow, China, will speak in the morning upon "Scenes in Swatow." In the evening the pastor will preach upon the theme, "After Death, What?" Baptism at the opening of the evening service. Sunday school at 12:30. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Strangers are welcome.

Dr. Penney will preach at the Free Baptist Church on Twenty-first street at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "Our Father's Business;" in the evening, "Christian Experience." Young People's meeting at 6:30.

At Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Dr. Boyns will preach, at 11 A. M., from "Our Father Which Art in Heaven," and at 7:30 P. M. his subject will be "The Man With His Sword Drawn in His Hand." Young People's Oxford League at 6:30 P. M., conducted by W. H. Waste.

Christian Science service in Grand Army Hall, Thirteenth street, near Broadway, Sunday, at 11 A. M. Subject, "Indifference." Dr. Fluno, pastor. All cordially invited.

There will be preaching service as usual on Sunday evening of the Good Will Congregational Church. Mr. Broms of the Pacific Theological Seminary will preach.

At the Unitarian Church services in Hamilton Hall, Rev. C. W. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M., having sufficiently recovered from his illness.

Rev. Father Doran, who, during the past two years, has energetically assisted in the administration of St. Mary's parish, this city, will take charge of St. Joseph's Church, Alameda, during the absence of Rev. Father McNahoe, who, on account of ill health, will start for Europe in a few days, to be away about one year.

W. J. Colville will lecture in the Synagogue, Thirteenth street, corner Clay, Sunday, 3 P. M. Subject, "What is the Resurrection and What are our bodies? A Study of the Human Soul and its Progression." Fine music. Seats free and all are welcome.

At the Second Presbyterian Church the pastor, Rev. H. H. Rice, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "The Lord's Treasury." Evening subject, "Total Abstinence and the Good Templars." The Band of Hope connected with the church will take part in the evening service, and there will be an address by Mrs. M. E. Richardson.

Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., will preach tomorrow morning and evening at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church in East Oakland. Bible Normal class Thursday Evening at 7:30 sharp. Seventh lesson in book, pages 44 to 50.

"Dead In Sin and Dead To Sin" will be the morning topic at the Chase Street Congregational Church tomorrow. "What and Where Is Heaven" will be the topic of the evening sermon.

Church of Christ (Undenominational), A. Coplin, pastor, meets in California Hall, on Clay street, between 10th and 11th. Preaching at 11 A. M., prayer and testimony meeting at 7:30 P. M. Seats free and all invited.

Rev. Frank Dixon, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, will preach tomorrow morning on "A Gospel for the Rich," and in the evening on "A Spiritual Tramp."

In Plymouth Church Rev. E. S. Williams of Minneapolis will preach this morning. The pastor, Rev. J. B. Silcox, will preach in the evening on "The Bible Not of Man but of God."

Rev. George H. Merrill, pastor of Market Street Congregational Church, on Market, near Second street, will preach in the morning on "Following Christ in the Path of His Suffering," and also conduct the evening services. Rev. Mr. Wadell will preach in the evening on "The Power of the Gospel."

At the Prospect Hill Presbyterian Church the subjects for tomorrow are: Morning, "Ye Have Need of Patience"; evening (7 o'clock), "God's Workmanship."

VESPER SERVICES.

A Berkeley Pastor Believes in Beginning at Half After Five O'Clock.

At a recent meeting of the Congregational Club, Rev. Thomas R. Bacon of Berkeley delivered the address on "Vesper Services." He Said: "We hear a great deal about the problem of the second Sunday service. Its successful solution at Berkeley we seem to have found. It has been customary to hold a second service—never a large one—at Berkeley until the latter part of Mr. Savage's pastorate, when, owing to his illness, it was given up, and so during the interim, until I came and tried it again, with but small attendance, as in all the churches in Berkeley. Another problem which confronts us is church music. We often feel that church choirs are a nuisance. It seems as though there should be a place in God's house for fine music. It is often found difficult to adapt the music to the theme. But in our Vesper Services the music furnishes the theme. In correction with my music leader I select a piece of music which gives the theme of the evening. All the singing and remarks and scripture reading of the evening are upon that theme. Our service is at 5:30 o'clock, before the meeting of the Young People's Society, and we aim to have the entire service in less than an hour. For such a service you need a religious chorister and a well-behaved choir. The choir has a very important part in the service. It is also requisite that the minister have some knowledge of music." Mr. Bacon gave the programme of his last Sabbath's Vesper Service. The selected piece was "Lead, Kindly Light"; introductory sentences; minister, "Lift up your hearts"; choir, "We Lift them up unto the Lord"; minister, "Let us give thanks unto our Lord God"; choir, "It is meet and right so to do"; minister, "Therefore we give thanks unto Thee, O Lord Almighty, Everlasting God: with angels and with archangels and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious name, evermore praising Thee, and saying"; choir, "Sanctus"; congregation, the Lord's Prayer; congregation, hymn; minister and congregation, responsive reading; choir, "Gloria Patri"; the first lesson, Num. ix:15-23; choir, anthem—"O Gentle Jesus, be our Light," the second lesson, John i: 1-4; choir, "Lead, Kindly Light; prayer; organ or choir, response; hymn; address, "The fiery, cloudy pillar"; congregation, hymn; benediction.

CHRIST CHURCH, ALAMEDA.

A Description of the New Building of Transpalndai Episcopalians.

Work will be begun this month on the new building of Christ Church, Alameda. The new church will stand north of the present edifice, which will serve as a Sunday school room. The seating capacity will be four hundred, and the cost $15,000. The plans for the new building are drawn by E. A. Coxhead of San Francisco. They are thoroughly churchly, and reveal a building of stone and wood, with nave, transepts and tower. The dimensions of the nave are thirty-four by sixty feet. The chancel is spacious, and affords room for a large choir. On the south side is the organ, which can, also, be used for the Sunday school. The tower, twenty-three feet square on the outside, is set in an angle, on the corner of Grand street and Santa Clara avenue. The lower portion of the tower, built of stone, forms at once the vestibule and baptistry of the church. To the right is a door leading to an outer stairway, which, in its turn, leads to what may be termed the second story of the tower. This space will serve as a guild room. Above is the belfry. The roof will be of hewn timber, and open on the inside. The trusses are large, and will rest upon massive stone piers. The outer portion of the church will be built of stone and shingle. On a portion of the lot it is proposed to build a rectory.

ALLEE SAME CHINEE.

White Dealers in Lottery Tickets Taken Into Custody.

It appears that the Chinese lottery agents are not to monopolize the attention of the police authorities to the utter exclusion of their white brethren. For some time past policeman Furney and citizen John Ferrin have been accumulating evidence against persons who deal in tickets of the Louisiana, Little Louisiana, and Mexican lottery companies, and warrants were sworn out against several different ones. Yesterday J. L. Callaghan, keeper of a news stand on Washington street, near Seventh, was arrested as a starter; next Adolph Heine, the paralytic who wheels himself about in a chair, was taken into custody as was his wife who conducts a bakery at 1165 San Pablo avenue. H. Sims and W. J. Stuart's news stand properties were also taken into custody and the end is not yet.

In the Police Court this morning Attorney Chapman appeared for the defendants, Mr. and Mrs. Heine, J. S. Callaghan and Stuart, pleaded not guilty and demanded a jury trial in each case. Mrs. Heine's trial was set for March 8th; her husband's for May 13th; Callaghan's for May 14th, and Stuart's for May 15th.

Necrology.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen S. Fifield, whose death occurred on Wednesday last, took place at 1 o'clock today from the family residence, corner of East Fourteenth street and Seventh avenue.

Yesterday afternoon funeral services were held over the remains of the late Mrs Cornelia Richards, wife of Seth Richards, and the body was placed in the receiving vault at Mountain View Cemetery by Undertaker Bloomfield. The body will remain in the vault until arrangements are made to have it conveyed to the family plot at Granby, Mass.

He Seemed Dazed.

L. K. Owens, charged with embezzlement, seemed to be dazed when he was called into the police court today, and after pleading guilty asked for a few days' time, saying that he could clear himself. A plea of not guilty was entered and his case continued. Owens is a weak minded youth.

To Be Tried.

Frank Lewis, accused of stealing chickens, will appear for trial in the police court on the 11th. Bridget Fleeney, an alleged peace disturber, will have a hearing next Monday.

COUNTY CLIPPINGS

The War on Insect Pests at San Lorenzo.

MISCHIEVOUS HUNTERS AT MT. EDEN.

Destroying Salt Ponds—An Ugly Trick—Other County News and Notes of Interest.

Meek's Street Railroad.
Haywards Journal.

H. W. Meek is in earnest about building a street railroad from the depot to Haywards, and has engaged E. H. Goodwin to do the surveying. The work of laying out an avenue through the Meek field, between the depot and Watkins street, at the intersection of Calhoun, over which the road is to run, will at once be proceeded with. Robert commenced work Thursday.

An Ugly Trick.
Haywards Journal.

About the meanest trick we have heard of was perpetrated last Friday night in the Native Sons' building. Some wretch cut the rope used to hoist the trusses, cutting all but one strand. Fortunately John Haar discovered the deed Saturday morning, just before the rope was to be used. Had the work proceeded, it is quite probable that two or three men would have been killed. Casper Hodson, who had the contract for raising the trusses, offers $50 reward for the arrest of the culprit.

RATTLE-BRAINED HUNTERS.

Who Destroy Salt Ponds at Mount Eden.
Haywards Journal.

Something will have to be done, and mighty soon, to stop the wholesale destruction of salt ponds and levees by reckless hunters from San Francisco. An outsider has no idea of the trouble experienced by our salt men from the visits (mostly on Sundays) from these reckless, rattle-brained hunters, who go tearing through ponds and over dykes, with their dogs, defying owners and laughing at shooting notices. It is true there are gentlemen enjoying the sport on the marsh, but there is also a class of two-legged hogs, who come over from the city and tramp over the salt ponds with their dogs regardless of the rights of the owners. Those suffering the most damage are the J. Michelsen, the Mrs. Michelsen property, and neighboring salt ponds. We understand that the damage done already amounts to over $500. Our salt men should organize a posse and capture them, and let Judge Austin of Haywards tap their sack.

WHAT THEY USE

At San Lorenzo for Killing Insect Pests.
Haywards Journal.

The excessive rainfall has prevented much tree spraying, which otherwise would probably have been done, the ground being too soft to drive over with a loaded wagon. Examination of trees sprayed last winter and spring shows a most healthy appearance of orchards; the Greenbank Insecticide Potash was used; although all the scale were not exterminated, which is almost an impossibility with one spraying with any mixture. The "Lime, Sulphur, and Salt" mixture is recommended by the State Board of Horticulture Commissioners, but in this county a diversity of opinion exists among those who have used it. Perhaps a larger proportion of lime would be more effective. Mr. Block of Santa Clara and others recommended fifty pounds of lime, instead of twenty-five pounds, the other ingredients remaining the same. The difference in trouble in mixing and applying the "Insecticide Potash" and the "Lime, Sulphur, and Salt" is in favor of the former, while the expense of the materials used is in favor of the latter. Another important point in favor of the potash is the fertilizing properties of the potash, which falls to the ground, and the invigorating effect of the application on the trees.

Mount Eden.
Haywards Journal.

A. Oliver is again on the sick list with an attack of lung fever.

Ed. Clawiter's new mansion is entirely completed now. We understand, that he will change quarters in about two weeks.

C. A. Rasmussen, who has been working for H. Meininger, has started in business for himself, having bought out a blacksmith shop at Irvington.

Now that we have fine weather again the shipping of hay and straw goes on with renewed vigor at the station. From two to three carloads leave daily.

The public school will open next Monday, February 10th, with Mr. Geary, formerly of Walnut Creek, as principal, and Miss Remmel of Alameda as assistant.

The regular monthly shoot of the Mount Eden Rifle Club was held last Sunday, nearly all the members being present. Some very good scores were made, the Haywards sharpshooters, particularly handsome Robert Knudson, Charles Heyer and H. G. Alberts distinguishing themselves by making several bulls-eyes. Next Sunday will be the quarterly general meeting of the club, when the members will be classified, and, also, the distribution of medals takes place.

San Lorenzo.
Haywards Journal.

Our roads have been the best in the county during the late storm.

Mrs. O. Johnson has been lying in a critical condition for several days.

Henry Marlin had to submit last week to a dose of grip, but has now almost recovered.

Mrs. C. W. Hathaway and daughter Minnie departed Friday for a visit to relatives in the Hawaiian Islands.

Andrew Hansen, the genial proprietor of the San Lorenzo House, has been suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia this week.

Miss Mary Irvin and brother John of Tomales, who were visiting at the residence of their grandmother, Mrs. Granlee, this week, returned home Wednesday.

Friday afternoon Henry Blockman fell from the hay loft to the floor of the barn, breaking both bones of the left arm. The arm was broken in two places—at the wrist and near the elbow. He was taken immediately to Haywards, where the bones were set, and he is getting along as nicely as possible.

James Adams, who had a delicate operation performed in San Francisco two months ago, and has been confined to his bed ever since, recovered sufficiently Tuesday to attempt to return to his home here. Mr. Adams has improved greatly the last few days, and will soon be out again as healthy as ever he was, which is gratifying news to his many friends in this place and elsewhere.

Colonel J. J. Hickman, the noted Kentucky orator, will deliver a lecture on temperance at Union church, on Monday evening, February 10th. Colonel Hickman is one of the most eloquent temperance lecturers in America. He is making a farewell visit to this coast, being under an engagement with the Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., of California, to deliver 100 lectures. No one should fail to attend, as this will be the last opportunity to hear him. Admission, free.

Haywards.
Haywards Journal.

The Trustees on Wednesday evening appointed Thomas B. Russell Town Engineer.

The work of painting the Natives' building was commenced by Alex Johnson of Alameda last week.

August Uhhoff and his force of men have already completed the framework on Mrs. Shuman's cottage on B avenue.

Mrs. Oscar Hill, who has been confined to her home the past month with a severe attack of indigestion, is now greatly improved.

Ed Ramage has lately purchased a young stallion, 5 years old, dark brown color, and a full brother to the well known stallion Pompey. He is a fine looking animal.

Haywards Grove of Druids this week issued very handsome invitations to their first ball, to be held in Oakes' Hall on Washington's Birthday eve, February 21st. It promises to be a great success.

John Schneider, a well-known resident of this place, passed away last Friday after a protracted illness. The funeral took place Sunday and was largely attended. The deceased had resided here since 1871 and accumulated considerable property.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanton returned from their wedding trip to San Francisco last Saturday and that evening were tendered a reception in Oakes' Hall. The groom recently entertained his friends in San Francisco, at his apartments at the Grand Hotel Thursday evening last, where he and his fair bride were sojourning. Mr. and Mrs. Stanton are now residing at Raymond, Southern California.

Frank A. Noyer succumbed to consumption last Sunday evening. He fought the disease for years, but towards the last its grip fastened firmly on him, and his friends sadly realized that his end was drawing near. The funeral took place Tuesday, the casket being escorted from his late residence on D street to the Catholic church by Eden Parlor of Native Sons and Young Mens' Institute, No. 115, of which he was a member accompanied by relatives and friends. Arriving at the church, the casket was conveyed inside by the following pall bearers: Eden Parlor—P. V. Long, E. K. Strobridge, W. Collins, W. Smalley; Y. M. I.—F. Hooson, W. R. Lee, G. Hahn, S. Morrison.

EYESIGHT.

Dr. Southard's Lecture to the Teachers of the Public Schools.

Dr. W. F. Southard gave a very interesting talk to the teachers of the Public schools yesterday afternoon at Hamilton Hall. Dr. Southard's address was limited to an hour, and so he did not go into any anatomical description of the eyes, but devoted his time mostly to explaining the differences of vision and why any defects in the eye should be corrected while young.

The age at which sight is the best is 15 years, and at that time the smallest text type used, diamond, can be read at two and one half inches from the eye. After that time the distance increases every year, slowly at first, and by the time forty years have been passed the sight is beginning to be seriously affected. This is caused by the stiffening of the muscle of accommodation, which permits the changing of the condition of the lens so as to permit of reading. This Dr. Southard explained by showing that the rays of light from objects at a distance are very nearly parallel, but that the rays of light from objects near by are convergent, and instead of coming to a focus on the retina, would come to a focus in front of it. In order to rectify this and permit of reading, this muscle of accommodation thickens the lens and brings the focus on the retina. When this muscle becomes stiff from old age, reading becomes more and more difficult, until at 70 years it is impossible, without the use of proper glasses to take the place of the muscle.

Dr. Southard then went into an interesting description of near and farsightedness and showed why persons thus afflicted are effected with pains in the head and blurring of the sight. These are caused by the effort of the muscle of accommodation trying to fit the lens to the malformation of the eye, and finally this muscle gives out.

No Misrepresentation.

The defendant in the suit of Emma Bargion and George J. Fogg against George W. Phelps has filed an answer to the complaint, and declares that no misrepresentation was made by him in regard to the property purchased by the plaintiffs. He avers that they were aware of the fact that the land was encumbered by a mortgage when the $100 was paid to bind the bargain. He therefore asks that the prayer of the plaintiffs to recover the $100 paid be denied.

The Christian Association.

Rev. E. P. Williams of Minneapolis will be the speaker at Young Men's Christian Association Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. C. W. Knox, with the association quartette, and the association orchestra, led by Herbert Kellogg, will be present, and the service will be one of praise. This is the only meeting held in this city for men exclusively, and is becoming very popular. A different speaker each Sunday preaches.

A Note That Is Due.

George H. Hudson has sued Mary E. Bwedick to recover $328 alleged to be due on a promissory note. He also asks to be allowed $50 for attorneys' fees, in case the suit is not contested, and $150 in case a defense is made.

Again Arrested.

John Gilmore and John Healy, the Washington street merchants, have been again arrested for maintaining signs over the sidewalks in front of their respective places of business. Both gave bail.

THE TRIBUNE only receives the complete report of the Associated Press.

ON GOOSE EGGS.

T. A. Edison Sat on Them to Hatch Them Out.

AN INCIDENT OF SCHOOL LIFE.

Stories That Have Some Relation to the Public Schools of the County of Alameda.

The county Superintendent of schools, P. M. Fisher, was busily engaged this morning in drawing warrants for teachers' salaries. The salaries for the month of January are now payable and the teachers from the country are in the city today.

Director Dickson, who teaches in the Alameda school, is the youngest member of the County Board of Education. He takes a great interest in school affairs and is always present at the meetings of the board.

The flood in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools somewhat receded this morning. The broken pipe has been mended and the flooded room cleaned. Mr. Fisher opened his office in a side room today.

During the week the County Superintendent visited the Lorin school and the Harrison school in this city. The former was found in excellent condition, and there are about 140 pupils attending. Miss Morrow, the principal of the school, has been teaching in the neighborhood for the past seven years. At the Harrison school everything was found in good order. Miss Robbins is substituting during the absence of the principal, Miss Mullen. She was formerly a teacher in the Mount Eden school. The law requires that the County Superintendent shall visit every school in the county at least once a year, and take official notice of the condition of the property and the manner in which the school is conducted. Mr. Fisher will soon begin a tour of inspection of the schools in the city.

Miss Lizzie Farrington, of San Leandro, has been elected to succeed Miss Grover at the Kellogg school in Berkeley. The latter resigned on account of ill health. Mrs. Farrington taught at the Mountain House school last year. She was quite fortunate in securing the position at Berkeley, as there were other applicants for the place.

The teachers' library at the County Superintendent's office is gradually being increased. Mr. Fisher now has on hand the sum of $150 to be expended in books for this purpose. He receives about $150 a year for this fund, most of which comes from the payment of fees from applicants for teachers' certificates. The fee is $2, half of which goes into the library fund.

"Everything is running along smoothly," said Miss Elsie Tidd, a teacher in the San Lorenzo school, when she came to draw her salary this morning. "I wanted to ask you, Mr. Fisher, if it is not true that many of Edison's patents were purchased by corporations so that they could not be used?"

Mr. Fisher declared that he was ignorant on the subject.

Miss Tidd looked up Edison's life, and a slight blush passed over her pleasant countenance when she read this paragraph concerning the great inventor: "His mother, who was a teacher did all in her power to make up for the absence of schooling by educating her boy herself. He began his experiments at an early age, for while still wearing dresses he undertook to hatch out some goose eggs by sitting on them himself. He had in a supply of provisions and was much disappointed when his mother made him leave the nest for his bed."

"That's good," said Mr. Fisher. "Just lay that one side. I want to show it."

F. R. Fassett of Livermore visited County Superintendent Fisher this morning and discussed the school affairs in that town. Matters political were also the topic of conversation.

They Retreat.

The Mother Woodworth forces, finding that D. W. Thompson intends vigorously to defend himself on the charge of disturbing the tent meetings, are desirous of dismissing the accusation. This Thompson will not permit, and on the 14th inst. the police court will be graced by the presence of Mother Woodworth and her disciples.

Tore the Blanket.

Eddie Cahill, who spends much of his time in a prison cell, was convicted today in the police court of malicious mischief, in tearing up the blankets of his cell bunk, and ordered to appear Monday for sentence.

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A Story of the New Orleans Mardi Gras.

HOW MR. BUMBLEBEE GOT LEFT OUT.

The Carnival—Scenes and Incidents—The Man of the South and the Man From the North.

At first Mrs. Page was inclined to make light of the whole thing. "'Twas ever thus with lovers," and poor Cherry was obliged to stand the fire of a great deal of joking, but her pale cheeks and sad eyes touched the kind aunt's heart and she held her peace, waiting for what she felt certain must come, viz.: a reconciliation and happy ending to all difficulties. When two, then three weeks passed and still Allyn did not come, and Cherry remained silent, the good lady shook her head and agreed with old Rachael, who said: "Well, Missis, love be a dizziness and white man mighty unsartin."

The hot weather was coming on very fast now, and people were leaving town in all directions for their plantations and country places, or yearly trips north. Mrs. Page prepared to close the town house and move across Lake Pontchartrain to the old plantation, it being her custom to spend the summer there. Cherry loved the place dearly; it had been in the Delaney family for years, her father was born there, and she knew every corner and nook, not a spot but was filled with childish and girlish memories. The old house with its wide galleries shaded by vines and hung with hammocks, was always cool, the big trees with their mantles of sombre grey moss and trailing wild grape vines were old friends, the silent cane brake behind the house stretching away for miles, the strip of beach where the waves came lapping in with their low, musical sound, she longed for the peace and quiet as never before, and hastened their departure by every means in her power. Their last day in town, as they were returning from the old French market, whither they had gone early in the day, they crossed the Place d'Armes, near the Cathedral, and a turn in the walk revealed two figures just beyond in close conversation. They were Allyn Fairfax and Emily Mehle. A dago selling fruit and flowers was passing and accosted them with, "Buy ze bouquet, ze picayune bouquet," and Allyn stopped and bought a bunch of fresh red roses and Emily put them in her white gown, all unconscious who saw her. Mrs. Page stopped short, too indignant to say anything, but Cherry only smiled and hailed a passing car. Once at home, however, Mrs. Page determined to speak.

"Daughter, dear," she said, "addressing the girl by the name she loved the best, "don't you think you are going too far? You have not told me what has passed between you and Mr. Fairfax, but, child, men will be men, and the best of us have faults; we wouldn't be human if we didn't. He is not one to trifle; don't be too hard on him; beware of taking a step you will regret a lifetime." But Cherry only clung to her, crying.

"Oh, Auntie! It is all over forever. I don't love him, and I feel sure that he hates me now. It was all a mistake, but he will soon forget me, in fact he has already, and I am happy just as I am with you. If you love me never speak of this again,—help me to forget it." And so the subject was dropped then and there, and not resumed during their summer on the plantation.

Once on the old place, Cherry regained some of her usual spirits, and daily took a long ride through the woods accompanied by the faithful Sancho and old Don Quixote, a tall gaunt deerhound that had been on the place for years. She would spend hours at the piano playing over the songs that she and Loris used to sing. Somehow he never seemed far from her now, in dreams he came to her, and again the old happy days returned. She longed to hear some one speak his name, yet when callers were at the house dreaded lest in some turn in the conversation he might be alluded to. So the summer passed, the longest the girl had ever known. In the fall a new thought came to her. She had never been North since a tiny child of seven. How delightful if Aunt Jennie would only make a trip there now. There was really no reason why they should not go; so, early in September, accompanied by old Rachel, they journeyed on to Virginia to visit some kin living in Richmond, and after a few days in Washington and New York, reached Boston when October was still young. During their first morning they drove about enjoying the beautiful suburbs. All the trees and shrubbery were glowing with autumn's ardent kisses, the air was clear and cold and full of snap that brought the color to Cherry's pale cheeks, a new happiness seemed to be awakening in her heart, a vague feeling of something, what she hardly knew. After luncheon Mrs. Page, fatigued with her burst of energy on the morning, retired for a nap, but Cherry after gazing from the window on the busy street below, could stand it no longer, and taking old Rachael sallied forth. As they walked along Washington street peeping into the showy windows many people turned to look at the slight young Southern girl, with her beautiful willowy form. They strolled through the common and into the gardens beyond, and stood watching a gardener planting out small ornamental plants to form the end of a word he was making, when suddenly Rachael pulled her young mistress' sleeve.

"Look yonder, honey," she whispered excitedly, "dars Massa Noble his self, sure 'nough!" Cherry looked in the direction indicated by the old woman. Her heart gave a great jump and then stood still. It was Loris, but oh! how changed, how thin and white and such a tired look on his brown eyes. Suppose he shouldn't see them, and turning either to the right or left be lost in the passing crowd. An instant of suspense, and then he *did* see them and stood rooted to the spot. The next minute he was before her, holding her trembling hand, and looking down into the eyes so shyly raised to his. Then followed explanations as to when they had arrived, where they were stopping, how Mrs. Page was, and they strolled on between the beautifully kept lawns and brilliant flower beds, now in silence, too happy to speak, now chattering like magpies, while Loris related the incidents of his fearful accident, his fight for life, his mother's recovery, his sister's patient care during all their trouble, the news of Cherry's engagement, then the news of its being broken, his final convalescence, and only think," he added, "I expected to be on my way back to Arizona today but the doctor thought I was hardly strong enough, so I waited, and fate is kind sometimes," he whispered. All too soon the short fall afternoon wore away, and retracing their steps they entered the hotel and opened the door of the sitting room, for Mrs. Page was still within. Rachael turned to light the gas, but Cherry motioned her away, and the good old soul with a knowing smile went in search of her mistress vowing to detain that good lady as long as possible. There was a stiff, ugly red velvet sofa in the room, such as are often found in hotels, and on this they sat down, but never was seat softer or more luxurious, and in the gathering gloom Cherry felt her lover's arm steal round her, and with her head on his shoulder listened to the tale never old, and ever sweet to womens' ears, and all the doubts the sadness of that unhappy summer seemed to melt away in that first kiss. Mrs. Page having learned who was there, succeeded finally in escaping old Rachael's more than usual attentions, and opening the door was surprised to find the room shrouded in darkness.

"Why, child!" she cried, "you seem to be keeping blindman's holiday here." She touched the electric button under the swinging lamp and sent a flood of light through the room. One glance at the sofa told her much, but Loris, looking so gaunt and white, sprang to his feet with cordial greetings, and detaining her hand, said simply:

"Dear Mrs. Page, I have come for your little girl; may I have her?"

"It strikes me it is rather late in the day to ask that," she answered, smilingly, "you seemed to have walked in and taken possession." But Cherry was at her side in an instant, her arms about her, crying.

"Oh! Aunt Jennie I am too, too happy. It all seems like a dream, only it isn't, but the realest thing I ever knew." Then the elder woman an arm about the young people standing before her, their faces so earnestly turned to hers. Perhaps the remembrance of her own happy wooing came to her again, and something like tears glistened in her kindly blue eyes.

"Dear children," said she, "not many moments like this come to us. They are the sweetest, the purest we ever know, they are glimpses of heaven sent to brighten this sad life. Yes, I give my consent, for I feel that God meant you for each other. Take her, son, but be good to her, she is all I have," and old Rachael peering through the door murmured:

"De Lord be praised."

But even as Loris clasped Cherry in his arms a death-like pallor overspread his face. He gasped painfully putting his hand to his heart, and with a groan fell heavily to the floor. The two women, terrified, rushed to his assistance, while Rachael hurried off for such restoratives as they had. It was not a faint, however, but a sort of stupor. He opened his eyes in a few moments, and made a feeble effort to rise, but sank back his head on Cherry's breast.

"Too late! too late!" he whispered. "Come nearer, love, I cannot see your face." He laid his lips against her hand, murmuring: "It's all growing dark, all dark." A convulsive shiver passed over him. The shock, the happiness had been too great. He gave a long drawn sigh, and, with a happy smile hovering on his lips, fell asleep, never more to awaken in this life.

When the gay carnival season came again and all New Orleans was ringing with the festivities, a bridal party sped swiftly up St. Charles street on their way from the church. The groom was a tall dark man, with steel blue eyes which had grown colder since we last saw them. The woman beside him had rippling yellow hair, and she tapped her husband playfully with her fan, laughing as a long veil floated out of the carriage window! Had she not made the best match of the season! Was not the flower of society at the church to see her married! Did not her trousseau come from Paris! Was she not happy!

Neither saw a sad-eyed girl turning wearily from the window of an old fashioned white house, shaded by Magnolia trees, and glancing at a small gold bangle reading the words engraved inside "Faithful Unto Death." And so it is in the tangled meshes of fate. Only God knows why some lives are thrown into blackest shadow that other lives may stand out all the brighter.

Oakland, August, 1889.

SANDER WILL SUE.

Brother Ambrose Wants Damages for His Shanties.

The flurry caused by Brother J. A. Ambrose Sander last year, when he attempted to locate two wooden shanties, purchased from Paul Schlotzhauer, on the corner of Ninth and Franklin streets, is not forgotten. Now he proposes to sue the city for damages, and has filed with the clerk of the City Council a document intimating that such action will shortly be taken. The notice quotes City Attorney Johnson as saying that "the city had no authority to revoke a permit once granted, and upon which the parties interested had acted in good faith."

ON RECORD.

ATTACHMENT.

January 30th—Leopold Hirsch vs. J. L. Harris et al., northeast corner Ninth and Franklin, east 75x50, Oakland, in name of Regina Beel; also, lots 3 and 4, block 129, and lots 11, 12, 13, and 14, block 66, Oakland, in name of Regina and Sigmund S. Beel, $3375.

HOMESTEAD.

Februray 5th—Annie C., wife of T. J. Monahen, east Campbell, 55.7½ south from Fifteenth street, south 25x110, Oakland.

AFFIDAVIT.

November 8, 1889—Annie Merrill, relating to lot 6, block L, Vernon Park, Oakland township.

The City's Cash.

The financial report of City Treasurer Gilpin for January shows that the receipts amounted to $14,886 69, and the disbursements to $45,180 30. This left the funds in the following condition on February 1st: General, $31,840 54; salary, $51,861 49; street, $43,236 16; water, $8,189 27; street light, $17,173 06; free library, $8,434 28; school fund, $19,926 50; school library, $122 85; bond interest, $6,055 43; bond redemption, $27,028 91; wharf improvement, $3,224 88; disinterment, $250; State school salary, $1,185 83.

A Week's Failures.

The Bradstreet Mercantile Agency reports eighteen failures in the Pacific Coast States and territories for the week ending yesterday as compared with the fifteen for the previous week and sixteen for the corresponding week of 1889. The failures for the past week are divided among the trades as follows: Three grocers, two saloons, two general stores, two dry goods, one clothing, one builder, one contractor, one restaurant, one boots and shoes, one cigars, one bags, one confectionary and one millinery.

They Complain.

Several property owners who are highly assessed for the proposed opening of West street are complaining in loud tones of the action of the commissioners who made the assessment. It is said that they will carry the matter into the courts.

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SUPERIOR COURT.

CALENDAR FOR MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1890.

Department One—Greene, Judge:

Marcuse vs. His Creditors; final discharge of assignee.

Shear vs. Kilgore; demurrer.

Cohen vs. His Creditors; meeting of creditors.

In re Pine Hay Press Company; application to dissolve.

Alameda vs. Momsen; demurrer.

Tucker vs. Haskins; account of receiver.

Farmer vs. Waymire; argument on motion for new trial.

Kerlin vs. Hamilton; motion for new trial.

Buck vs. His Creditors; meeting of creditors.

Lilienthal vs. Taylor; motion for a new trial.

Davis vs. White et al.; demurrer.

Estate of W. Walkerley; petition for allowance.

Estate of Mary E. Murphy; probate of will.

Estate of H. K. Rand; return on sale.

Estate of H. Cozad; letters of administration.

Estate of H. Godfrey; account, etc.

Estate of J. H. Skewes; probate of will.

Estate of J. D. Brower; return on sale.

Estate of E. Carter; account and distribution.

Estate of I. Lesser; petition for letters.

Estate of D. P. Barstow; order of sale.

Department Two—Gibson, Judge:

Estate of E. Brand; assignment of estate.

Estate of R. Scott; return on sale.

Estate of N. Gray; return on sale.

Estate of G. A. Knight; petition for order of sale.

Estate of J. F. Manning; assignment of estate.

Estate of H. H. Sexton; petition for conveyance.

Estate of Mary Carroll; final account, etc.

Estate of M. A. Garthwaite; order to show cause.

Estate of J. Summers; assignment of estate.

Estate of W. P. Morrill; final account, etc.

In re A. S. Wolfe; motion to set cause for trial.

Sullivan vs. Kirby; demurrer.

In re trust estate of Charles Prentice; order to show cause.

Department Three—Ellsworth, Judge:

Estate of Louis Lelievre et al.; order of sale of real estate.

Estate of Connolly; petition for letters of administration.

Estate of W. Lockerman; petition for letters of administration.

Estate of Francis Blake; return on sale of real estate.

Estate of R. Sisterna; assignment of estate.

Estate of W. R. Shaw; final account, etc.

Estate of P. Regan; letters of administration.

Estate of W. Summerhays; letters with will annexed.

Estate of James Driver; final account.

Alameda vs. Mastick; demurrer.

In re Central Supply Company; order to show cause.

People vs. Leonard; suspension of sentence.

People vs. Mehoney; suspension of sentence.

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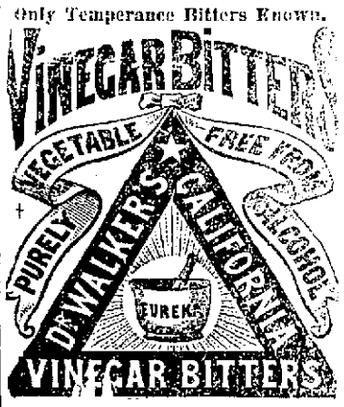

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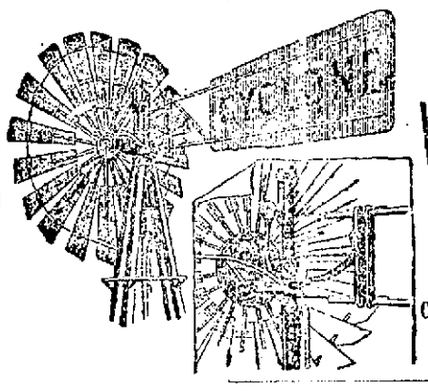

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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

OAKLAND—A Bunch of Keys.
ALCAZAR—The Blythe Case.
BALDWIN—Shenandoah.
CALIFORNIA—The Woman Hater.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Closed.
NEW BUSH STREET—Said Pasha.
ORPHEUM—Specialties.
PANORAMA—Gettysburg.

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THE TRIBUNE is the only paper in Oakland that has the Associated Press Telegraph Report.

An Angry Controversy.

A tremendous quarrel, exploiting a perfect blizzard of epithets and hard names, is in progress between the learned pandits of the Geological Survey and Professor E. D. Cope of the University of Pennsylvania, in the course of which charges of gross ignorance, plagiarism, and log rolling are hurled at Major Powell, director of the Survey, and Professor O. C. Marsh of Yale, his chief assistant and a geologist of more than national fame. The quarrel excites the unfeigned glee of some of the religious press, which has so often writhed under the whips and scorns of the geologists. Thus the *Independent* reviews the fight:

We learn from Professor Cope that Professor Marsh, long supposed to be a very arc light of the science, is guilty of as many kinds of plagiarism as General Fairchild discovered sorts of palsy. He has, we are told, plagiarized information received orally or in private letters, has plagiarized from published papers and books, has plagiarized by ignoring previous descriptions of fossils and giving them new names, and has plagiarized by giving out as his own work what was done by his assistants. The whole horse pedigree was stolen from Huxley and Kowalewski, and his Orohippus, Miohippus, Pliohippus, Eohippus, and other hippuses, have been discarded as useless rubbish. He has conveyed fossils away from the Government collections and hidden them away where no scholars can see them—if they really exist, and are not made up out of plaster. On the other hand, Professor Marsh angrily reared up, with a horn on his ischium, and kicked and gored Professor Cope, charging him with being an insanely jealous man, crazed by his disappointments, wild and senseless, who put the head on the tail-end of a lizard's vertebræ, and who has depredated on museums to which he was allowed access. Now all this is simply shocking. With such charges made against each other by the two chief paleontologists of the country, how can the unlearned believe geology to be a science that has any existence out of the imagination of those who have invented it?

It is well enough to treat the matter jocularly from that point of view, but it is a serious business when it is charged that Major Powell has prostituted his department to the basest uses of a political machine. Major Powell denies the charges, and whether the matter will become the subject of a congressional investigation is not known. The purely scientific quarrel over the claims of Professor Marsh to eminence as a geologist, may be left to take care of itself.

THE statistical fiend, the man, for instance, who figures how far the orange crop, or the turnip crop, or what not would reach around the world if marshaled in a line, is now engaged in figuring out the number of his ancestors all the way back to Adam and Eve. Thus he figured it that if we go back to the time of Jesus Christ we have fifty-six generations. The calculation thus resulting shows that 139,235,017,489,534,976 births must have taken place in order to bring you into this world! You, who read these lines. All this since the birth of Christ. Not since the beginning of time. According to Proctor, if from a single pair, for 5000 years, each husband and wife had married at 21 years of age, and there had been no deaths, the population of the earth would be 2,199,915 followed by 144 ciphers. What a large family of fathers and mothers.

ONE of the most extraordinary strikes on record took place recently in Belgium, at Ghent, the capital of the province of East Flanders, where the entire bench, from the judges of the court of appeals down to the humblest police magistrate, has gone on strike for increase of salaries. Consequently, justice is at a standstill. Such a strike would not, we imagine, be very effective here, because we have dozens of men on every street corner, who are willing to undertake the duties of a Supreme Justice on five minutes' notice. The judge business is crowded.

QUESTION by Mr. Foote:
"Precisely, madam. Had, then, his fairy footfalls tinkled on that particular floor before that time?"
Objected to on the ground that there was no evidence before the court tending to show that Blythe was a fairy. Objection sustained.

The passage seems to call to mind the precedent established in the famous case of Bardell vs. Pickwick, where the court ruled that Sam Weller had no right to quote a saying of King Henry VIII on the ground that what the King had said was not evidence.

Comparisons.

We do not compare THE TRIBUNE issued today with any other paper printed in Oakland, because the difference is so obvious that it is not worth while to dwell upon it. We would challenge comparison with any evening paper printed in the State. Our telegraphic service is as full and complete as the best, for there is only one other evening contemporary in California which prints the full Associated Press report. We print no second hand telegrams, nor are our columns filled up with what is technically described as "boiler plate," sawed out by the yard. Two San Francisco correspondents of recognized ability give the readers of THE TRIBUNE an insight into many matters of interest which the San Francisco papers are, for one reason or another, afraid to touch. Other special articles of local and general interest are handled with an ability not always found in the very best metropolitan dailies, and the local news is presented in bright and interesting fashion complete. We ask the readers of THE TRIBUNE to make for themselves a dispassionate comparison of the paper with the issue of any other afternoon paper in the State, and we do not fear the result.

Compulsory Religion.

The Willamette University of Oregon last week expelled three students because they refused to attend church, and the *Oregonian* observes: "This seems a poor way to command respect either for the church or its supporters." The practice of some universities of making compulsory attendance on religious services is made the subject (in part) of a paper in the current *Forum*, by President Adams of Cornell. He does not believe in the practice and says:

Of course, there is a debatable question as to when that period comes in the process of education [when any attempt to enforce the truth, against the will of the individual is likely to rouse opposition and revulsion.] There are differences of opinion among the governing bodies of colleges as to whether it comes to a student before entering college or after. Those who hold that obligatory religious instruction should be made part of a college course act upon their belief and give the instruction they recommend. Those who on the other hand of the opinion that all religious instruction at this age should be optional with the student, give at least good opportunities for such instruction as are afforded in society at large. It would probably be quite within the truth to say that they give far more. Not only have students in this class of institutions, holding these views, all the opportunities afforded by the churches, but they almost without exception have additional advantages of no small importance.

Mr. Adams favors the establishment and maintenance of auxiliary religious institutions specially designed for the purpose of attracting university men, and bears testimony to the good work of the Young Men's Christian Association in this regard. Something of this has been done at the University of California, and we are certain, that if such voluntary religious associations could be recognized and assisted by the regents, such a policy would increase the usefulness of the institution and perhaps remove the objections of some parents who are now doubtful of trusting their boys to an environment removed from religious influences. We do not know that such a policy would have the sanction of law, but it is clear that, if it is not permissible, it is clearly a defect in the law under which the State University is constituted. We do not want an established church, or churches, but non-denominational religion—that is, religion freed from the trammels of dogma—such as is taught and exemplified by the Young Men's Christian Association and kindred bodies, might profitably be assisted by the State.

THE Haywards *Journal* commenced its fourteenth year of existence today. Editor Oakes makes one of the most readable local papers in the State.

Unique.
Alameda Argus.

THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE has just published an annual in magazine form, and it is one of the most unique publications ever issued in any city in the Union. It contains the artotype portraits of 224 residents of our sister city, who are more or less prominent in business or professional life in that city. The reading matter, which is a descriptive, historical, and statistical review of Oakland and her advantages and resources, is well prepared, and the publication makes an excellent souvenir, either for home reading or to send abroad. The Tribune Publishing Company displayed considerable enterprise in issuing such a valuable and interesting work.

Danger in the Quid.
New York Sun.

The horrible results of the chewing gum habit are freshly illustrated by the case of the Missouri girl, who, remonstrated with by her father as to her exercitation of jaw, rushed from the supper table and hanged herself. This is an extreme instance, of course, but who that munches in public that everlasting cud can be sure that wildness of the nerves and remorse of conscience may not some time come upon him? Gum looks innocent, but it seems that there is in it the promise and potency of sin.

The People's Paper.
Haywards Journal.

The annual edition of the Oakland TRIBUNE has just been received. It seems as though there was no limit to Brother Dargie's enterprise, for what with capturing the Associated Press dispatches, and making every department of THE TRIBUNE replete with spicy and interesting news, it is no wonder that it has become the people's paper. The annual just issued is a magnificent number. The collection of photos of the brainy men of the City of Oaks is a brilliant idea.

Who, the Ladies or the Gentlemen?
Lewiston Journal.

A Lewiston ladies' poker club is a recent form of Monday evening entertainment which the gentlemen attend, and at which they play fair.

Social Lethergy in Skowhegan.
Lewiston Journal.

The dancing fever has subsided at such a rate in Skowhegan that the proposed course of assemblies has been given up.

EXPENSIVE NOISE.

That Which San Francisco Buys of Patti.

NICOLINI'S DOLLAR-BITING DUTY.

Patti's Bath Tub -- Counting the Audience—Arditi's Bald Spot—Her Regular Speech.

Patti is going to sing at the Grand Opera House on Monday or Tuesday, and people who do not know a note of music from a note at thirty days, are commencing to talk about "La Diva."

It costs $7 for a seat to hear Patti, the cheapest bench near the roof selling for $3.

"Oh, this is heaven," exclaimed Patti, as she inhaled a lung full of fog at the Oakland mole this morning. "All my troubles are paid for. Thank heaven I breathe the air of San Francisco once more."

The last time I met Patti was at Salt Lake. She was descending from her car, and as her feet grasped the ground she exclaimed: "Thank Heaven, I breathe the air of Salt Lake once more. All my troubles are paid for. Oh! this is heaven."

Patti is a young American girl of Italian parentage, who spends her time in Wales for pleasure and makes raids on North and South America for a living. For years she has been aided and abetted in her excursions by Mapleson and Abbey. She ruined the former, and will ruin the latter if he keeps it up much longer.

She has been on the stage for rather more than 30 years, and is still the queen of song, likewise of diamonds.

Jewelry is her weakness, and she makes no secret of her taste. People give her jewelry wherever she goes. The Czar of Russia, old Nicholas, gave her emeralds as large as cobble stones. That was a favorite trick of the Czar, giving singers emeralds. Gerster had emeralds the Czar gave her, and so did Nordica, Scalchi and all the rest of them. Our own Sibyl Sanderson has not had any emeralds from the Czar yet, but the gentleman has not heard her sing. Tout Paris is crazy over Sibly, so a telegram to the Bohemian Club informed us yesterday, but one cannot always rely on a despatch to the Bohemian Club, when it arrives late at night.

Patti has had two husbands, one a marquis, the other a tenor singer. Before she was married, her voice went up to soprano E; since her second affair, it has gone down so low that the music of the operas has to be transposed two tones for her.

There is no nonsense about Patti; she is all business. Her terms are $4600 a night, paid to Nicolini in advance, and she never goes on the stage until the old man has bitten every dollar, to make sure that no bogus coins have been rung in on them. Her voice and his business ability make a team that no common impresario can beat. The only man on earth who ever had any chance to get the best of the combination was Charles E. Locke. He had them in hand once, but his smile gave out before Patti could sign articles, owing to an attack of sickness?

Patti is the only woman on earth who can sing "Home Sweet Home," shed tears and count the house with the same breath.

I was in the wings once when she was warbling "Way Down Upon the Suwanee River, Far Far Away." She was making such a tremendous pause at "f——a——r" that I thought she was breaking down, till I heard her gurgle to her manager between pauses something like this:

"Fa—— —— that usher is getting paid —— r—r—r—for those stools—r—r—r—r—in the aisle——away. I want an account of that—dar's what my thoughts are turning ebber—and don't you forget it."

The papers used to gush and tell a lot of stuff about her and old Arditi, the conductor of the orchestra; how much she thought of him, and all that. She used to lean over and pat his bald head and put wet-leaves on it when people threw her wreaths and chaplets and things. Awfully touching! But I think if the audience could have heard her say as I did once, "Luigi," his name is Luigi, "it's a jay audience and you can cut the stuffing out of the duet if you want to," they would not have made quite so much as they did over her pretty trick of kissing the bald spot on the top of his head.

People talk of the sweet disposition of "La Diva."

I do not see much credit due to her for a good temper, if she has one. Any woman who has fattened, so to speak, on big emeralds and humming birds' tongues for thirty years, and has never been obliged to clean her own finger nails if she did not want to, can afford not to be irritable. If she had brought a lazy husband up by hand, and raised thirteen children, and still kept a good temper, sweetness of disposition would be something to brag about.

San Francisco always brags about its musical cult, and offers as evidence the large number of people who pay high prices to hear Patti.

Poor benighted San Francisco!

Patti is only a name now, and the farther she gets from a center of musical culture the higher her prices and the more money she draws.

Why, in South America she draws more money than any show on earth—except a bull fight. In New York she does not draw well; in London she sings at half her usual prices; in Paris she is not an attraction, and in Florence or Milan there is no demand for her services.

But Patti is a great prima donna in San Francisco, Denver, Tucson, Cerro Gordo and other mining camps.

I do not mean to infer that she cannot sing at all, but I would like very much to get a lithograph of the grin of derision that would appear in Paris if she was billed to sing at $7 a seat. I could get a good price for the picture for an "after using" sign for Sapolia or Callustrio.

Personally, I have no objection to Patti's extravagance in the matter of husbands, not having achieved that high moral code which only comes from a long residence in Oakland, but I do not see why an eighth more than the ordinary shrillness of voice should repeal the whole moral code in favor of the fortunate warbler.

As for her bleaching her black hair red, I entirely approve of that. The lady who painted her face and sat in a window and made things rather sultry for the prophets had red hair. Patti lives like a Princess, or more so, wherever she goes. I do not know much about Princesses, but the two I have met ran strongly to extravagance in the matter of bath tubs, and so does Patti. One of my Princesses had a new lining put in the bath tub at the Palace Hotel before she would use it. After my other Princess had used a bath tub at the Palace, the management had it re lined. She was very dark, and came from the South Sea Islands.

Patti has a new porcelain tub put in every time she visits the Palace and will use nothing but distilled water and soap. SAN FRANCISCO.

NO BITUMEN TO BE HAD.

The Rain Has Made it Impossible to Mine the Rock.

The recent heavy rains have delayed the paving with bitumen of Eighth street, between Franklin and Washington streets, in more ways than one. Of course, it was impossible to work while the rain was falling, but now that it has cleared off no work can be done, because no bituminous rock can be obtained from the mine. The roads in Santa Cruz county are so bad that no team can possibly travel over them, and no rock can be mined. It is expected, however, that some can be brought up by Wednesday next, in which case the work will be commenced immediately.

A NOTABLE BOOK.

The most amusing book of the season undoubtedly is Mark Twain's "Yankee in King Arthur's Court." It is a highly original idea worked out in a vein of true burlesque. A Bridgeport, Conn., mechanic is supposed to have turned time backward hundreds of years in its flight, and after a brief sleep finds himself a sort of inverted Rip Van Winkle in the full possession of his faculties and knowledge of modern science and appliances, translated to the court of King Arthur. The manner in which he demoralizes that archaic community with the help of modern science and finally contrives to run the kingdom, is told in humorous fashion in the book. We cannot give a better idea of the vein of humor running through the book than by quoting a passage:

Meantime it was getting hotter and hotter in there. You see, the sun was beating down and warming up the iron more and more all the time. Well, when you are hot, that way, everything little thing irritates you.

When I trotted, I rattled like a crate of dishes, and that annoyed me, and moreover I couldn't seem to stand that shield slatting and banging, now about my breast, now around my back, and if I dropped into a walk my joints creaked and screeched in that wearisome way that a wheelbarrow does, and as we didn't create any breeze at that gait, I was like to get fried in that stove; and besides, the quieter you went, the heavier the iron settled down on you, and the more and more tons you seemed to weigh every minute. And you had to be always changing hands, and passing your spear over to the other foot, it got so irksome for one hand to hold it long at a time.

Well, you know, when you perspire that way, in rivers, there comes a time when you—when you—well, when you itch. You are inside, your hands are outside; so there you are; nothing but iron between. It is not a light thing, let it sound as it may. First it is in one place; then another; then some more; and it goes on spreading and spreading, and at last the territory is all occupied, and nobody can imagine what you feel like, nor how unpleasant it is. And when it had got to the worst, and it seemed to me that I could not stand anything more, a fly got in through the bars and settled on my nose, and the bars were stuck and wouldn't work, and I couldn't get the visor up; and I could only shake my head, which was baking hot by this time, and the fly—well, you know how a fly acts when he has got a certainty—he only minded the shaking enough to change from nose to lip, and lip to ear, and buzz and buzz all around in there, and keep on lighting and biting, in a way that a person already so distressed as I was simply could not stand. So I gave in, and got Alisande to unship the helmet and relieve me of it. Then she emptied the conveniences out of it and fetched it full of water, and I drank and then stood up, and she poured the rest down inside the armor. One cannot think how refreshing it was. She continued to fetch and pour until I was well soaked and thoroughly comfortable.

A. L. Bancroft & Co., 132 Post street, San Francisco, are general agents for the book on the coast, and J. C. Ewing is agent for Oakland.

LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.

Resolutions of Respect to the Memory of Mrs. James de Fremery.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Relief Society, held Thursday, February 6th, after an eloquent and affectionate tribute from the president to the memory of Mrs. James de Fremery, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Heavenly Father to remove from us by death our former associate and director, Mrs. James de Fremery, therefore

Resolved, That by the death of Mrs. de Fremery, the Ladies' Relief Society has lost a sincere and generous friend, and an able and efficient director, and not the Relief Society only, but all the public and private benevolent associations of Oakland, for her charity knew no bounds, no sect and no creed, and it was dispensed liberally, impartially and with great discretion.

Resolved, That to her indomitable perseverance and her untiring and heroic exertions in the face of many difficulties, this society is indebted for a large portion of the building fund for the Home for Aged Women, and her great executive ability and her counsel and advice during the building very materially helped to make it the pleasant and comfortable home that it now is.

Resolved, That the managers offer to the husband and children their heartfelt sympathy under this great bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions shall be sent to the family of the deceased, and shall be placed on the records of the society, also, that they shall be published in the daily papers.

By order of the President and Board of Managers of the Ladies' Relief Society.
JESSIE CAMPBELL,
Corresponding Secretary of the Ladies' Relief Society of Oakland.
Oakland, February 8, 1890.

Miss Lamson's Debut.

Miss Lilian Lamson will appear as "Juliet" in a grand production of *Romeo and Juliet* at the new California Theater February 19th in a special Wednesday matinee, supported by a company of great merit. Miss Lamson will leave for New York immediately after, where she will organize a company and star next season with a new play under a noted New York manager's guidance. The sale of seats for the matinee opens Thursday, February 13th.

The branch office of the Western Union Telegraph Company in THE TRIBUNE office, 415 Eighth street is very convenient for many merchants of Broadway and Seventh, Eighth and Ninth streets.

A Reporter Wanted.

The charge of assault with a deadly weapon laid against C. T. Capall, could not be heard in the police court today, because a short hand reporter could not be found to take down the evidence. The case was continued to February 20th.

Grand Lodge of Workmen.

The following delegates to the Grand Lodge, which meets next April in San Francisco, have been elected by Park Lodge, No. 7, of Workmen: Dr. L. L. Webster, William Winnie, A. Kemp, Frank O. Jordan, and E. J. Fennor.

A WRECKED LIFE.

The Domestic Troubles of L. W. Reed.

WIFE'S DESERTION AND HIS DIVORCE.

Becoming Thoroughly Despondent He Ends His Sad Life with a Pistol Ballet.

Lafayette W. Reed, who has resided in this city for years, and who is well known in educational circles, is dead. He committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, thus ending a life that was rendered miserable by reason of domestic troubles. It may be said that his life was a failure, and in many respects very sad. He was principal of a school in San Francisco for years, but always resided in Oakland with his family, consisting of a wife, Julia F. Reed, and four children, Emma S., now aged 20 years; Nellie, 17 years; Willie, 13 years, and Richard Reed, who is now deceased.

The husband provided a good home on Jefferson street, near Fourteenth street, and it was thought that the family lived happily together. However, in 1885 the friends of the couple were shocked by the announcement that Reed had commenced suit in the Superior Court of this county to obtain a decree of divorce on the ground of wilful desertion. He charged that his home and happiness had been wrecked by those whom he presumed to be his friends. Mrs. Reed took frequent walks with a certain prominent rich man in this city, who figured as a witness in the divorce case.

Charles H. Button was an old friend of the family, and frequently visited Mrs. Reed, but it had never been suggested that he had estranged the wife from her husband. Mrs. Reed contested the case, but she was defeated, and the divorce was granted as prayed for. Shortly after Reed lost his position as a teacher in San Francisco, and found himself out of employment. This did not surprise him half so much as when he heard that his wife had married his old friend, Charles H. Button. The newly married couple removed to Los Angeles, where they resided for some time. Reed pursued his wife to secure the custody of his children, who had been awarded to the wife by the decree of divorce. He caused her to be cited to appear for contempt of court and she was compelled to return to this city to defend the case. After an interesting contest before Judge Greene in which the rich man of Oakland took an interest, being present in court, the matter was finally amicably settled and the wife was allowed to keep the children. Then another contest took place over a division of the community property. It was finally agreed that the house on Jefferson street should be sold, and this was done, and the $6000 received for the property was equally divided. Mrs. Button became tired of Los Angeles, and a short time ago she returned with her children to this city. Reed always had a kindly feeling for his children, and since the divorce he has been a changed man. His continued hard luck no doubt preyed on his mind and he determined to take his life.

Yesterday he hired a room at the Commercial Hotel, in San Francisco. After plugging up the cracks in the door with cotton, he coolly took a seat in an arm-chair before the mirror and fired the fatal shot. He was discovered shortly after sitting in the chair dead.

MAKING CONNECTIONS.

The Cable Cars Soon Will Run to the Foot of Broadway.

The Piedmont Line Not to Be Abandoned—Rebuilding the Tubbs' Hotel Street Car Route.

The work on the San Pablo avenue cable road at Seventh street and Broadway is being rapidly completed, and it is the intention of the superintendent of the work to have the road in operation to the foot of Broadway by Tuesday, or perhaps Monday. All the cement roadbed has been dug out, and the road is resting upon heavy timbers that support the rails. Work was began this morning on tearing away the turntable. All the cement work will be torn away down to the grade of the street, the trenches from the crossing of the local road to near the new table will then be dry and the yokes will be put in. As soon as this has been done, which will be tonight or tomorrow night the big turntable will be lifted out and rolled away. The tracks will be lowered or raised to grade and the small pieces of road over the spot now occupied by the turntable will be constructed, the new cable will be drawn through the channel and the road will begin operations to the foot of Broadway.

The new cable came over yesterday and it is at the foot of Broadway ready to be put in at a moment's notice.

It is expected that the road will not be in operation during the morning of the day the final connections are made, which will probably be Monday.

The Twelfth Street Road.

No work is now in progress on the Twelfth street road to East Oakland, but as soon as the San Pablo avenue cable road is connected with the lower Broadway extension, a gang of men will be put to work on that road. The six new cars will arrive in about three weeks, and trips will be made every ten minutes.

The Piedmont Road.

When it was announced that the Piedmont branch of the Broadway road, running from the cemetery junction to Piedmont springs, would be abandoned, the residents around Piedmont springs arose in their might and objected vigorously. This resulted in the following notice:

At the request of the residents at Piedmont, the services of the horse car line from cemetery junction to Piedmont springs will be continued until the Piedmont cable road is completed.
MRS. P. A. BLAIR,
Administratrix, Estate Walter Blair.

The Sinking of the Cable Road.

The engineers in charge of the work of extending the San Pablo avenue cable say that the reason for the recent settling of the cable road along the entire line, was the big rain of Friday, January 24th. This rain soaked the ground and settled any earth that was loose around the concrete bed of the road. This being heavy, sank and closed the cable slot in some places a quarter of an inch and in some places an eighth of an inch.

A Wild Car.

A brake on a dirt car used in grading Broadway at Twenty-second street, gave away yesterday and the car ran into another car ahead, throwing it off of the track.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

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A Peculiar old Man

A wealthy bachelor miser, named Thomas Banks built a mausoleum fifteen years ago, and daily afterward made his toilet in it until his death a few days ago when he left $200,000, to friends and charity. Henry Schellhaas, was one of his best friends in this city and the mausoleum was furnished throughout with his furniture. Mr. Schellhaas keeps a store at the corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets.

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"In May last, my youngest child, fourteen months old, began to have sores gather on its head and body. We applied various simple remedies without avail. The sores increased in number and discharged copiously. A physician was called, but the sores continued to multiply until in a few months they nearly covered the child's head and body. At last we began the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. In a few days a marked change for the better was manifest. The sores assumed a more healthy condition, the discharges were gradually diminished, and finally ceased altogether. The child is livelier, its skin is fresher, and its appetite better than we have observed for months."—Frank M. Griffin, Long Point, Texas.

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THE NEW RULES.

The Majority and Minority Reports Filed.

THE POWER TO COUNT A QUORUM.

Given to the Speaker--A Quorum of 100 in Committee of the Whole--Carlisle Objects.

WASHINGTON, February 8.—Though not formally presented in the House, the majority and minority reports on the new code of rules were filed with the journal clerk and ordered printed. In regard to the rule authorizing the Speaker to count a quorum the majority report says: "The process of ascertaining the presence of a quorum to do business under the constitution would ordinarily be under the control of the Speaker, who would derive his information from his own senses or by the aid of the clerk or in any way which would satisfy his mind as to the accuracy of our count. Under our system of roll calls it has been deemed more convenient to ascertain and announce the vote of members and the presence of those who refuse to vote at the same time and by the same means." Discussing the new clause to Rule 26, that no "dilatory motion shall be entertained by the Speaker," the report says: "This clause is merely declaratory of parliamentary law. There are no words which can be framed which will limit members to a proper use of proper motions. In early days such prostitution of legitimate motions caused by anger, willfulness and party zeal was not so much as named among legislators. Today the abuse has grown to such proportions that the parliamentary law which governs American assemblies has found it necessary to keep pace with the evil, and enable the majority, by the intervention of the presiding officer, to meet by extraordinary means, the extraordinary abuse of power on the part sometimes of a very few members. It is argued that this does not confer a dangerous power as the Speaker will not dare to act in face of a majority against him." Considering the question of providing that 100 members shall constitute a quorum in Committee of the Whole, the report states that this change is made necessary by members refusing to vote when the roll is called, and points out the fact that everything done in committee has to be reported to the House, and that nothing done is in any way final.

The minority report, signed by Carlisle and Randolph, criticizes many features of the proposed code. It says that rule 24, which requires that bills can only be reached for consideration when called up by a committee, puts individual members at a disadvantage, and is intended to suppress them and their influence. It declares that the proposition to make 100 members a quorum in the Committee of the Whole, and enabling the Committee of the Whole to close the debate at pleasure, transcends the well established usage in the past, and is unwise. It characterizes the rule of giving the Speaker power to count a quorum as the most radical and most dangerous innovation proposed by the majority, overthrowing the construction uniformly given to the Constitution for more than a century, and declares that under its operation a minority may legislate for the whole country even to the extent of voting large sums from the public treasury. It says that allowing the Speaker to refuse to entertain dilatory motions puts a dangerous power in his hands.

HE DID NOT GET MUCH.

And He Is Likely to Get a Good Deal More Now.

SACRAMENTO, February 8.—Payne's Hotel at Roseville was burglarized early this morning by a thief who used a large chisel in prying open the doors, and who stole six dollars in money and a few other articles. He took the Oregon train for this city, and the next train brought Constable Lamphrey to Sacramento. In a very short time he had the thief under arrest and had recovered all the stolen property, except a portion of the money. The thief was James Lynch, who had been sent to the State prison from Sacramento for a similar offense.

IN THE SACRAMENTO VALLEY.

People Go About Their Business in Boats.

COLUSA, February 8.—The river is falling slowly, but all the land between here and Chico is yet inundated. Yesterday Dugan Brothers came down from their ranch, 22 miles from here, in a sail boat, travelling all the way over wheat fields, fences, tules, etc.

BUCKED THE STATION.

A Freight Train Pushes a Depot Into a River.

A Strange Accident Which Caused the Death of an Engineer, Fireman and Operator.

BALTIMORE, February 8.—An accident is reported on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad at Big Pen tunnel, West Virginia. A freight train, approaching a signal station, ran into an open switch. The engine pushed the station into New river and plunged in after it. The telegraph operator, engineer, and fireman were drowned.

GEORGE AND O'CONNOR.

Two Noted Personages Start for Australia.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 8.—Henry George left for Australia today on the steamer Mariposa. Wm. O'Connor, the oarsman, was also a passenger on the same steamer.

MURDEROUS BURGLARS

Kill the Owners of the House and Steal $3000.

WESTPORT, N. Y., February 8.—Ransome Floyd and wife were shot by burglars last night. Mrs. Floyd is dead and her husband cannot recover. The burglars obtained $3000.

A Big Fire at Paterson.

PATERSON, N. J., February 8.—Washington Hall, which occupied ground on Broadway, 400x600 feet, was burned this morning. Loss, $300,000. The dancers in the ballroom barely escaped with their lives.

The Pope's Brother Dead.

ROME, February 8.—Cardinal Pecci, brother of the Pope, died of pneumonia this afternoon.

Temperature.

CHICAGO, February 8.—New York, 56; New Orleans, 48; St. Louis, 18; Cincinnati, 32; Chicago, 24; Winnipeg, 22 below.

Good Weather.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 8.—Forecast to 8 A. M. Sunday for California, fair weather.

Russia Afraid of China.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 8.—The Russian Government is massing troops at Manchuria. It fears a coup de main by the Chinese on the Amoor river.

Inoculation for Diphtheria.

LONDON, February 8.—Dr. Bapchinski announces, after experiments at St. Petersburg, that inoculation with the virus of erysipelas cures diphtheria.

STOCKS AND STAPLES.

Quotations at Noon on the New York Exchange.

Prices of the Great Staples in the Chicago Markets—Prices of Grain and Silver.

NEW YORK, February 8.—Stocks closed rather heavy. Money is easy, and with no loans.

	Noon
Four per cent coupons	123¼
Pacific Sixes	116
Central Pacific	33
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	107¾
Denver & Rio Grande	16
Northern Pacific	32½
Northern Pacific preferred	75
Northwestern	109¾
Northwestern preferred	—
New York Central	103¾
Oregon Navigation	100
Oregon Transcontinental	26½
Pacific Mail	39¼
Chicago & Rock Island	93⅝
St. Louis & San Francisco	17
St. Paul & Omaha	33
Union Pacific	47
Texas Pacific	21⅛
Wells, Fargo & Co	140
Western Union	84¾

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, February 8.—Bar silver, 96⅝c. The weekly bank statement shows the reserve increase, $4,400,000. The banks hold $659,000 in excess of the legal requirements.

Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, February 8, 1:15 P. M. close.—Wheat, steady; March, 76¼; May, 78⅝. Corn steady; February, 28¾; May, 31. Oats, steady, February, 20¾; May, 22¼. Barley, nothing doing. Pork, steady; March, $9 80; May, $10 05@10 07½. Lard, steady; February, $5 80; May, $6.

Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 8.—Wheat, dull; buyer, season, $1 20¾; buyer, 90, $1 34⅞. Barley, easier; buyer, season, 76½c.; buyer, 90, 82c.

HE WANTS TO FIGHT.

An English Ambassador Challenged by a Portuguese.

Strong Feeling in Portugal Against England—Englishmen Compelled to Resign.

LISBON, February 8.—Senor J. D. Andrade Covero, a member of the Council of State has sent a challenge to Glynn Petre, the British Minister, owing to the nature of his reply to the manifestation of the students.

The Commercial Association here has expelled its English members, because they furnished a statement to the newspapers in London, complaining of the treatment to which they were subjected.

The municipal authorities of Oporto have decided to subscribe to a fund for national defense.

The English members of the social club whose house was attacked by the students yesterday, because the club permitted Englishmen to retain their membership, have resigned.

THE RUSH.

Her Return This Morning With the Northern Mails.

The Steamship Company Will Henceforth Carry the Mails for the Northern Posts.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 8.—The revenue cutter Rush, Lieutenant Tuttle commanding, arrived in port this morning at 7 o'clock, bringing the northern mail. She is now lying in the stream. Her voyage to Portland was very rough, and she lay outside the Columbia bar for a long time, whistling for a pilot to come out, but the bar was breaking so badly that no pilot would venture out. The Rush failing to cross the Columbia, then sailed north for Tacoma, where the mails were landed and the return mails taken on. The voyage down the coast was smooth.

At the Railway Mail Service headquarters it is considered that the Rush did very well, notwithstanding the general complaint made by business men at the course pursued by the Government in forwarding northern mails by her. They say that the result shows that the State of California could not have done better, for, while she succeeded in crossing the bar, she was delayed several days in making a landing by the high water which had flooded the Portland docks, and is still detained at that port, while the Rush has delivered its mail and returned with that from the north.

Nevertheless the steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Co. will hereafter be employed to carry the mails to Portland. At present the arrangements are made for single trips, but it is expected that a contract to hold good until railroad communication is resumed will soon be entered into. The steamer Santa Rosa will sail tomorrow for Portland with a quantity of mail matter which has accumulated here during the week.

CAPTAIN HEALY

To Be Investigated by a Board of Revenue Officers

FOR DRUNKENNESS AND CRUELTY.

Secretary Tracy Will Resume His Duties on Monday--A Special Court of Land Claims.

WASHINGTON, February 8.—Secretary Tracy expects to resume his duties on Monday.

Charges of drunkenness and cruelty have been filed with the Secretary of the Treasury against Captain M. A. Healy, of the revenue steamer Bear, for acts alleged to have been committed during the recent cruise of that vessel in Alaskan waters.

The Secretary has directed an investigation, and the board of revenue officers to be appointed for the purpose will naturally convene in San Francisco, as Captain Healy and the necessary witnesses are in that neighborhood.

Ex-Representative Thompson of Kentucky and J. G. Zachary of this city made arguments before the House Committee on Private Land Claims today in favor of a bill establishing a Land Court of three judges to try all private land claims arising from the States of Colorado and Nevada and the territories of Arizona, New Mexico, Utah, and Wyoming.

A DUKE IN A JUG.

He Is Having a Reasonably Comfortable Time.

Has Pleasant Apartments and Receives His Noble Relatives—The Course of the Ministry.

PARIS, February 8.—The Duc D'Orleans, arrested yesterday, occupies a comfortable appartment in the Conciergerie prison. The Duchess De Chartres, the Princess Marguerite, his aunt and cousin, and other friends will be permitted to visit him. The Minister of the Interior has given orders that he is to be treated with distinction. The Monarchist members of the Chamber of deputies have decided to interpellate the government as to its reason for imprisoning the Duke. The Cabinet today decided to strictly enforce the provisions of the expulsion law against the Duke. The Duke was taken before the tribunal of the Seine today and charged with a flagrant violation of the law banishing from France pretenders to the throne. He said he came to France to perform his military duties. He asked for an adjournment to allow him to instruct counsel. The court adjourned the hearing until Wednesday.

At the conclusion of the judicial inquiry Minister Constans will reply to the monarchist interpellation in the Chamber of Deputies. He will state that the Government merely executed the law, the provisions of which are precise. He will explain to the Chamber article 47 of the law of exile, which enacts that no member of the Orleans family shall enter the army. It does not mention the grade from which they are debarred, and the Cabinet will therefore not admit the argument of the Duc that he could join the army as private.

POSTPONED.

The Examination of G. C. Pratt for Shooting L. L. Bromwell.

The examination of George C. Pratt on a charge of assault to murder, for shooting President Bromwell of the California Insurance Company, two weeks ago, was again postponed until the 24th instant. Mr. Bromwell is unable to appear, and Dr. Blach says he thinks it will be some time before he is well enough to appear in court.

FORTY HOURS' DEVOTION.

Services to Begin Tomorrow at St. Mary's College.

The beautiful services known as the forty hours devotion will begin tomorrow morning at St. Mary's College. Elaborate preparations are making for the event in the way of decorations and the preparation of a superb musical programme. Tomorrow the services will begin with a solemn High Mass, with Deacon, sub-Deacon and Master of Ceremonies. The celebrant will be Rev. Father Fassanati of San Francisco and Reverend Father McSweeney of Oakland will act as masters of ceremonies. There will also be a procession of the Blessed Sacrament. The devotion will continue until Tuesday morning when the ceremony will close with a solemn high mass and procession of the Blessed Sacrament. A select choir of college students will render the music for the ceremony.

GILMORE WILL SUE.

He Will Ask Damages for False Imprisonment.

It is understood that the Chief of Police intends to arrest John Gilmore, the Washington street merchant, from day to day, as long as the latter maintains a cloth sign in front of his place of business. Gilmore's attorney, M. C. Chapman, said today that his client would stand trial on the first charge, and would certainly be acquitted, as the ordinance under which he is held is "worn out." Then after knocking out the ordinance, suits will be brought against Chief of Police Tompkins and his bondsmen, for damages for false imprisonment. And the merry sign war goes on.

SLEPT TILL LATE.

Patti Does Not Believe in the Early Morning Air.

Adelina Patti arrived in her special train at 6 o'clock this morning. She remained in her special car until 10:30, when she took the boat to San Francisco. Conductor L. W. Shaw and Engineer Adams brought the special train from Lathrop.

BIGGI'S CHILDREN.

He Asserts That His Wife Does Not Give Them Proper Care.

Narcissa Biggi, has brought suit against his divorced wife, Teresa Biggi, to secure the custody of his two minor children. He says that she takes them to beer halls, and keeps them at dances until late at night.

HER HUSBAND FOUND.

Myers Calls Upon His Wife at the Hospital.

Mary Myers's husband has been found, and this afternoon he was with her at the receiving hospital.

It will be remembered that Mrs. Myers arrived from the East several days ago, suffering with rheumatism and utterly unable to care for herself. Through the kindness of the railroad officials at the mole she was placed in a car and brought to Seventh and Broadway, and thence she was conveyed to the hospital. During the several days that she lay there she delared that he would come to her if only he could find out that she was in California and she said that he had been stopping at the American Exchange Hotel in San Francisco. But when inquiry was made at the hotel, and it was learned that he was unknown at that place, many believed that the poor woman had only come to California to find that her husband had deserted her. Mr. Myers states that for a long time he has been out of employment and after leaving the American Exchange Hotel he went to South San Francisco where he obtained a few days' employment.

This morning he learned of his wife's arrival for the first time, through the columns of the San Francisco *Examiner* and at once hastened to the American Exchange, where he found telegrams awaiting him; thence he hastened to her bedside. He thinks she had better remain where she is for a few days longer and then he will have her removed to San Francisco. The meeting was a pathetic one, as the couple have been separated for several years.

FABIOLA HOSPITAL.

Election of Officers and Reports of Donations.

The following officers of Fabiola Hospital were elected yesterday afternoon: President, Mrs. Isaac Requa; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. D. B. Hinckley and Mrs. J. A. Folger; Recording Secretary, Mrs. John Yule; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Eleanor Deering; Treasurer, Mrs. Q. A. Chase; Directors, Mrs. D. B. Hinckley, Mrs. Isaac L. Requa, Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. James A. Folger, Mrs. Arthur Sperry, Mrs. W. W. Cannon Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mrs. W. S. Snook, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. W. W. Standeford.

The following additions were made to the fund for the new building: Mrs. James A. Folger, $250; Mrs. D. B. Hinckley, $50; Mrs. Q. A. Chase, $50; Mrs. R. Y. Gorrill, $25, and other smaller amounts. This gives about $4000 for the new building, or about half the amount required. F. Delger has given $2000, J. C. Kimball, $500, and T. L. Barker, $500.

PERJURY.

Justice Snook Says That It Prevails in Justices' Courts

"It is strange how much rank perjury there is in Justice court cases," said Justice Snook. "In most of these cases, both civil and criminal, the testimony of the two sides is flatly contradictory. It is impossible to do anything about it. In these little neighborhood quarrels two sides will swear to two entirely different stories, and you don't know which side to believe. There is one gang in Temescal that would swear to anything. I think that they almost make a business of fixing cases, for they are mixed up in so many cases, and they seem to swear to anything. There is only one way to deal with these fellows, and that is to have the District Attorney issue a few warrants for some of them for perjury and see if we can't teach them a lesson. These fellows come in here and commit perjury once and find how easily it works, and they have no hesitation about doing it again. They have no respect for their oaths. I think that the District Attorney will make an example of some of them very shortly."

THE THESPIANS.

A Series of Entertainments Announced.

The members of the Thespian Comedy Company have decided to give a series of entertainments throughout the coming season, and will give its initial performance on the 18th inst., at Mrs. Duncan's dancing parlors, 1365 Eighth street, near Cypress. *Box and Cox* and Williams' free-comedy, *Turn Him Out*, have been selected for the evening's amusements and the dramatis personæ will be Miss M. Duncan, Miss D. Duncan, Miss M. Crosson, and Messrs R. Duncan, G. Duncan, G. Clarkson and C. Cooper.

A warning has been issued regarding false tickets of admittance that are in circulation and genuine coupons are only obtainable at either the office or from members of the company.

SHE IS INSANE.

Testimony That Warranted Such a Conclusion.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ledwidge was committed to the Napa Asylum for the Insane a few days ago on the complaint of her husband. Some of the friends of the lady believe that a conspiracy existed to get Mrs. Ledwidge out of the way. Deputy County Clerk George Furry, who was present at the examination, stated that the testimony showing that the lady is insane, was conclusive. She asserted in court that the Holy Ghost was in her and defied the witnesses. Judge Greene took considerable testimony before he committed the lady.

TOM WILLIAMS HELD.

The Young Sport Will Be Tried for Beating C. J. Hirsch.

In the Police Court in San Francisco today Thomas H. Williams was held for trial upon a charge of assault with a deadly weapon upon Charles J. Hirsch, business manager of the *Post*, because an article was printed about Williams and May Yohe, the actress. Bail was fixed at $2000.

Manager Stillman Resigns.

Manager Stillman, of the Pacific Insurance Union, has placed his resignation in the hands of the Executive Committee. It is to take effect April 1st. So far no disposition has been made of it, either in the way of refusing or accepting it. From Mr. Stillman, personally, it is not possible to obtain any information, as he declines to speak. The news has caused a great deal of comment in insurance circles and a great deal of surprise.

Coat and Gossamer.

Detective Holland took a young thief named George Brown into custody this morning. He stole a coat from an employe of the gas company, and a lady's gossamer was also hooked by the young rascal. The latter garment was sold for 20 cents.

A Coming Marriage.

Mrs. J. M. Merrill of 534 Twenty-fifth street this morning secured a license for the marriage of Anderson Scott Witt, aged 43, and Margaretta Scott, aged 33.

Another One.

H. Bell was arrested at Seventh street and Broadway this afternoon for selling lottery tickets.

A FOGGY DAY.

Hourly Trips of the Ferry Steamers.

THE CYCLONE PLOW SET TO WORK

No Delays Expected on the Central Route—Washouts on the Oregon Route.

The Cyclone snow plow left Sacramento at noon today on the way to Cascade. Some of the wood work has been cut off, and it is now able to pass through the snow sheds without taking those very useful contrivances along in its passage. At Cascade the plow will remain over night, and tomorrow will be given her first severe test, that of screwing into some of the twenty foot drifts on the sidetracks at Cascade. General Superintendent Fillmore, Division Superintendent A. D. Wilder, Superintendent of Tracks W. G. Curtiss, W. W. Slater and other railroad men will leave this evening on train No. 3, arriving at Cascade at 7 A. M. tomorrow to inspect the work of the cyclone. They will be joined at Sacramento by Division Superintendent Wright of the Sacramento division.

The weather on the Sierra Nevada mountains is fine, and there is no expectation of trouble either from thaw or more snow.

The railroad company evidently does not expect any more trouble on the Central route because it has issued a circular to all agencies to receive through freight for immediate transportation. An orange special train was sent from the South yesterday over the Central route, showing that no delays are expected.

The Oregon road, however, is in a worse condition than ever. Assistant General Superintendent Pratt has almost succeeded in breaking the blockade in the Siskiyou mountains, but on top of this welcome news comes the statement that between Ashland and Portland there are so many washouts and so many bridges gone that it will be three weeks or a month before the road is opened. No trains are running north of Redding save work trains and it is only occasionally that a little mail is brought through by this means.

The effects of the big storm on Friday, January 24th, are still evident on Superintendent A. D. Wilder's division. The big slide at Port Costa, covering the eastern end of the east-bound double track at that point, has not yet been entirely cleared away. Four work trains are repairing the track between Tormey and Martinez. The big slide at Altamont still gives some trouble, and keeps a work train at that point.

THE CALIFORNIA AND NEVADA.

The Little Road Will Resume Operations on March 1st.

The California and Nevada Railway, the little narrow gauge road running into Contra Costa county, has suffered from landslides somewhat, but the chief damage that has been caused by the weather was the inability of Captain Smith or any of his subcontractors to do any work extending the road. There were several landslides in the big cut near San Pablo, and San Pablo creek overflowed its banks and did some little damage to the roadbed, but Captain Smith already has his men at work repairing the road and at every possible moment the work is extended.

The road suspended operations during the wet weather, but regular trains will begin making trips again on Thursdays and Sundays on about March 1st. This will be a great convenience to the residents of the San Pablo valley, as many of the county bridges are washed away, and the roads are so bad that the operation of the railroad would be of great assistance to them now.

Superintendent C. K. King is looking forward to a good brisk picnic season this year, and he has had many applications for trains as early as this.

A HEAVY FOG.

Only Half the Usual Trips of the Ferry Steamers.

The fog was so heavy on the bay this morning that hourly boats were run from 7 A. M. until late in the afternoon on both the South Pacific Coast ferry and the Southern Pacific ferry. This, of course, delayed all outbound trains, which would otherwise have departed upon the arrival of the abandoned boats.

Ungentle Annie.

For the 'steenth time Annie Crabtree was thrown into a prison cell last night, drunk and disorderly. Annie at once set to work and pummeled another inmate until her shrieks attracted the attention of a sleepy prison-keeper, who made haste to lock Annie in a lonesome tank, where she romped to her heart's content. For drunkenness Annie will serve four days and then answer to a charge of battery preferred by the woman whom she assaulted.

A Salvation Army "Big Go."

Tonight the Salvation Army will have what the Salvationists term a "Big Go." Adjutant Halpin and his trombone will be on hand, and the staff officers from San Francisco headquarters will be there. Mrs. Halpin, Adjutant Boville and wife will also be present. There will be extra meetings tomorrow at 7 A. M., 11 A. M., 3 P. M., and 8 P. M.

Sold by the Sheriff.

The complete stock of stationery, literature, pictures, etc., of Charles J. Kryster, in his store on Broadway, between Eighth and Ninth streets, and the fixtures, were sold by Sheriff Hale today, acting as receiver in insolvency, Frank Shire of San Francisco purchased the entire outfit, paying therefor $2625.

Thirteen Thousand.

This month 130 liquor licenses came due, and forty-five have been renewed, and when all have walked up to the Treasurer's office and settled the city will be $13,000 richer than on February 1st. There are now 188 licensed liquor dealers in Oakland who pay $18,800 license tax each quarter, or $75,200 per year. These are significant figures.

Bailiff Mitchell's Report.

Bailiff Sam H. Mitchell of the police court has filed his report for January, showing a total of $445 collected. There was but one fine exceeding $10 paid during the month.

Locke Richardson Recitals.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian Church have secured the services of Locke Richardson for a course of three recitals to be given in the near future.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Name.	Residence.	Age.
William Sachau	Oakland	25
Laurette Johanssenn	Oakland	30
Joseph V. Brace	Oakland	21
Mary Vargus	Oakland	18
Arthur E. Green	Oakland	23
Lizzie E. Smith	Oakland	20
Anderson Scott Witt	Oakland	43
Margaretta Scott Davis	Oakland	33

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman B. Sears, Jr., left today for Australia.

—Rev. J. M. Travores has been transferred from San Jose Mission to St. Mary's church, Oakland.

TWELVE LADEN WAGONS.

Daniel Best's Traction Engine as a Roadster.

Daniel Best of the San Leandro Agricultural Works put one of his traction engines to a test Monday afternoon last on as a wood engine. E. B. Stone took twelve of his large wagons, loaded with gravel to the works, and put them in line along the street. The wagons were heavily loaded, averaging by weight, over four and a half tons each, making a total of nearly sixty tons. The wagons were coupled together and the engine attached, and the entire train, stretching across a block, was hauled easily by the great steam horse, with not more than half the steam "let on." Owing to the frequent snapping of the couplings, which were a lot of ropes and old chains gathered up for the occasion, the trial was made shorter than it otherwise would have been; but it was entirely satisfactory as it was, proving that the engine could pull the load attached easily, and perhaps double the load if properly attached and with the valve open to the full. The pull, in this instance, was much greater, because the street on which the trial was made was covered with gravel, which was made quite soft by the rains. The trial attracted much attention in the town, and some 300 people gathered around to witness it.

JUST THIS MONTH.

The Last Chance to buy Boots and Shoes Way Down.

On March 1st, next the well known boot and shoe house of Nolan & Williamson will dissolve co-partnership, Mr. Williamson retiring from the business. In order to make a settlement of accounts and to wind up the business of the firm which will thereafter be conducted by P. F. Nolan & Sons, the entire stock will be sold regardless of cost. The sale began on the first of February, and will continue until the first of March, and during that time a tremendous reduction will be made in boots, shoes and slippers. The entire stock will be disposed of at from twenty-five to seventy-five per cent of usual prices. It will certainly pay anyone to buy during this sale as such a striking reduction was never before known, and the stock is the finest in the city as is shown by the great popularity of the firm which probably does a larger business than any other house in the city. Remember the sign of the big boot at 1053 Broadway, above Eleventh street.

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Club No. 2	Member No. 3
Club No. 3	Member No. 9
Club No. 4	Member No. 24
Club No. 5	Member No. 8
Club No. 6	Member No. 37
Club No. 7	Member No. 51
Club No. 8	Member No. 18
Club No. 9	Member No. 34
Club No. 10	Member No. 45
Club No. 11	Member No. 5
Club No. 12	Member No. 28
Club No. 13	Member No. 52
Club No. 14	Member No. 32
Club No. 15	Member No. 45
Club No. 16	Member No. 1
Club No. 17	Member No. 38
Club No. 18	Member No. 18
Club No. 19	Member No. 10

A Piano Club now forming.

DO NOT neglect that cold, but get a bottle of Ammen's Cough Syrup at once.

SEND in your orders for ice cream for Christmas to Brookes' 1205 Broadway. Delivered free.

Willard Is Dead.

E. E. Willard, a dentist of Mishawaka, Indiana, who had a quarrel a few days ago about his hotel bill at Lancaster in this State, and shot himself in the breast, is dead. He was financially embarrassed, his shortage probably being caused because he did not go to O'Connor, the merchant tailor at 1010 Broadway, and take advantage of his low prices for clothing. O'Connor has a large stock of new goods on hand.

MINING STOCK REPORT.

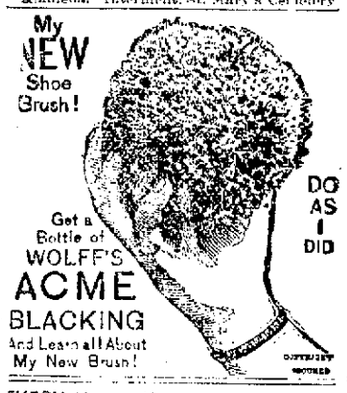
SAN FRANCISCO, February 8.

100 Chollar	2 70	450 Ophir	65
200 Chal C	1 30	200 Ophir	3 75
100 Comw	3 45	400 Overman	1 05
100 C C & V	4 25	50 Yorke	1 95
100 Crocker	50	300 Savage	1 70
100 Exchequer	55	300 Scorpion	15
25 Gould & Cur	1 40	200 S H & M C	1 50
50 Kentuck	70	200 Silver King	25
150 Navajo	30	20 Union Con	2 35
800 N Comnwlth	70		

DIED.

BRUZZONE—In Alameda, February 7, Anna Bruzzone, a native of Italy, aged 22 years.

☞ Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at 2 P. M., February the 9th, from the corner of Buenavista avenue, near Pacific avenue, Alameda. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.



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WANTED--TO RENT, AN UNFURnished house of not less than 15 rooms in the district bounded by Market, Oak, Eighth, and Fourteenth streets. Address A. D. T., TRIBUNE office. feb8-1wx

LOST--ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON, between East Oakland and Fruit Vale, a black Cashmere shawl, with silk fringe. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it with Rev. J. B. SILCOX, 1375 6th ave. feb8 2tx

POULTRY FOR SALE--200 YOUNG laying hens, thoroughbred and graded stock, all varieties. Apply to A. BRENNEMUHL, upper Fruit Vale avenue, East Oakland. feb8-2wx

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Culver's "	85c
Cuticura Resolvent	85c
Scott's Emulsion Cod Liver Oil	85c
Syrup of Figs, California	45c
" " " "	85c
Fig Laxative, "	15c
Wyeth's Beef, Iron and Wine	85c
Castoria	25c
Hamburg Pills, box	15c

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AGRICULTURAL.

Thoroughbred Swine Are the Most Profitable.

GOOD APPLES FOR LONG KEEPING.

How to Make Butter Without Churning—How to Make War on the Codlin Moth.

THE CODLIN MOTH.

The scale bug has now ceased to be feared by our orchardists, because it can be destroyed by proper spraying. It is also very rapidly disappearing before its destructive enemy, the Australian lady bug.

The greatest enemy to fruit now unconquered is the codlin moth. When some means of destroying this is discovered we can again become a great apple and pear producing county.

A writer in the *Pacific Rural Press* recommends placing apples and pears recently picked in cold water for a few hours. When the eggs and larvæ of the moth are on the fruit this would check their further growth and prevent their burrowing in the fruit. The cold water, he says, would not harm the fruit. It would necessitate, however, its being wiped dry before packing, but this would add to its attractiveness in market. Every means should be used to prevent the devastations and spread of this terrible scourge. We need to produce every variety of fruit to which our climate and soil are adapted and not confine ourselves to a few favored fruits which may be overproduced.

A German in El Dorado county some two years ago claimed to have entirely freed his orchard from codlin moths by setting at night small lamps in shallow pans of water with a thin scum of kerosene on the water. These pans are surrounded with cheap bleached muslin to reflect the light and attract the moth millers. These lights are placed a few rods apart. The expense is very trifling, and we should think the device would attract large numbers of these insects when in the miller stage, which is the time when they lay their eggs and lay the foundatisn for the greatest danger.

California is without a rival as a pear country if we can only master these enemies. When this is done, and freight is reduced, our Eastern friends can all enjoy with us our large and unrivalled pears.—*San Jose Mercury.*

BUTTER WITHOUT CHURNING.

As a rule, farmers are slow in adopting any change in their method of culture, the crops grown, or any change whatever in the style of farm management. A certain amount of conservatism in this respect is desirable, but a non-progressive disposition indicates a want of ability to carefully weigh the claims of any change and to act upon the convictions arrived at, or a disinclination to be at the trouble to carefully investigate the pros and cons of any new method brought under their notice. Lately we suggested that butter could be made in a less laborious process than by the old fashioned way of churning, by simply burying the cream in a stout calico bag in loose garden soil for twenty-four hours or so, then gently working the resulting lump in the butter tub for a few minutes, when the butter can be washed and salted in the ordinary way. To the general run of masculine minds the proposed method appeared utterly absurd, but the quicker perceptions of the ladies of many establishments caused the plan to be tried, with the most gratifying results. The accounts of many of the trials got into the newspapers, and the plan has now become well known in all the colonies, and wherever known is hailed with delight, as by it a richer-flavored butter is produced at a tithe of the labor required by the old process of butter making.—*Auckland News.*

LONG KEEPING OF APPLES.

Winter apples of the best keeping sorts may be kept until summer apples are available. Of course, perfectly sound apples must be selected—a small bruise or decayed spot cannot be allowed. A temperature just above the freezing point, and equable, is essential. Fruits do not keep so well in a warm temperature, and fluctuations are even more to be avoided.

This should be observed in keeping apples for use during winter and early spring; and for this reason it is best to have the fruitroom disconnected from the cellar, or at least separated from the rest of the cellar by a partition. If a brick partition cannot be afforded, one of matched boards will answer. Sliding sash will enable one to regulate the temperature. The fruitroom should always contain a reliable thermometer.

Select the apples for long keeping in the late fall or early winter, and wrap tissue paper around each apple. Bought in quantity this paper is cheap, and several bushels can be wrapped in an hour. Place the apples on shelves, stems up. Or, what is perhaps a better plan, pack the apples down in fire-dried sawdust or bran, chaff, or land plaster. The fruit may be packed in either kegs, barrels, or boxes. First make a layer of chaff, or whatever is used, an inch thick; then a layer of apples, stems up; fill all spaces with the chaff, and then a layer of chaff, and so on. Apples so packed will keep nicely in an outhouse with three or four feet of straw thrown over them. The barrels or boxes should rest on the ground.

The apples to be kept late should be assorted out in the early spring, and placed in a room that can be kept cool—one that can be opened up to admit the cool night air and closed tight during the heat of the day.—*American Agriculturist for January.*

THOROUGHBRED SWINE PAY.

In order to raise good pigs or hogs they must be kept thrifty. To accomplish this the breeder must see that they are properly cared for at all times. His sows and boars must be in healthy condition at coupling time and not too fat for good results. Study well the pedigrees of both sire and dam, and the essential points wherein one lacks the other should excel, and you will find a marked improvement in the progeny. Before and after breeding give your breeding animals plenty of exercise and avoid an exclusive corn diet. Be liberal with your house slops, mixed with bran and soaked oats. I aim to mix my slops and add a little salt and let it stand from one feeding to the next, and as yet have had but little trouble in keeping their bowels loose, as in my opinion biliousness leads to disease. I have never been troubled with cholera.

Keep your hogs separated; do not allow too many to sleep in one nest, as by so doing some will become too warm and be in danger of taking cold when called out of their nest for feeding. When with your herd try to pet and make each one tame, and you will find it a saving financially, especially at farrowing time. If your sow be tame she will show no fear when you enter the pen, and is not near as liable to be cross and is more apt to save the whole litter.

In this latitude I do not advise breeding sows for farrowing before April. At that time, with suitable pens, one has little risk to run on account of pigs freezing or chilling, and, with proper care they will weigh as much more the following January as if farrowed in February or March. One saves the extra feed and care of dam and pigs for two months and does not run one half the chances of young pigs dying with cankerous sore mouths, thumps, scours and many other ailments common among pigs.

Be careful and not overfeed the dam just after farrowing. Gradually increase the feed as the pigs advance in age, and as soon as they begin to eat provide a separate place, that they may have a little milk or slop, and at weaning time they will hardly miss the dam, as the change has been so gradual. Their feed may be increased with soaked oats or corn; too much corn will produce too much fat and not growth enough. I aim to always keep my pigs in thrifty condition, and not crowd them so as to injure them for breeders, for if you do they will sell, as a rule, quick at sight, but you are not liable to sell to the same man afterward. I had rather the buyer would complain on account of not being fat enough than for him to find fault because the pigs broke down and were of no use as breeders. It has been my fortune to hold the trade of nearly all old customers as long as I could furnish them with pigs that are suitable for crosses upon their herds.—*H. N. Livermore, in Farm and Home.*

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"I owe the gratitude to Hood's Sarsaparilla that one would to his rescuer from a **Burning Building** I was tormented with salt rheum, and had to leave off work altogether. My face, about the eyes, would be swollen and scabbed, my hands and a part of my body would be raw sores for weeks at a time, my flesh would seem so rotted that I could roll pieces from between my fingers as large as a pea. One physician called it type **Poison** and gave me medicine accordingly; but salt rheum cannot be cured in that way. Finally I bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It helped me so much that I took two more bottles, and was **Entirely Cured** I have not been troubled with salt rheum since. I also used Hood's Olive Ointment on the places affected. It stops the burning and itching sensation immediately. I will recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla not only for salt rheum, but for humors, and that **Loss of Appetite** 'all-gone' feeling so often experienced." A. D. ROBBINS, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

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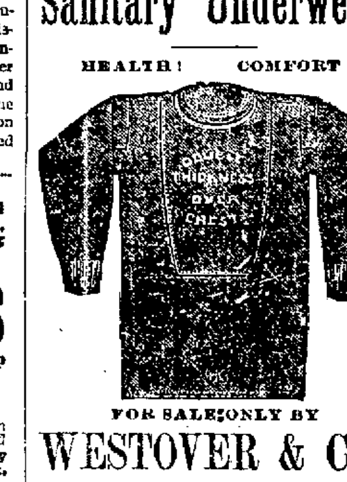

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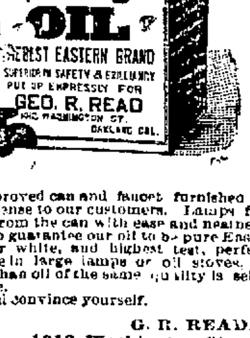

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A YEAR'S HISTORY.

The Work of the Fabiola Hospital.

THE MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Reports of the Resident Physician and the Secretary of the Association.

The annual meeting of the Fabiola Hospital Association was held yesterday, at which the most important business was the reception of reports, and the election of officers for the ensuing year.

Dr. Susan J. Fenton, the resident physician, reported 21 patients in the hospital at the last annual meeting. The number admitted during the year just closed was 157, there being 83 males and 74 females. Of the patients treated at the hospital there were cured, 93; improved, 23; incurable, 7; died, 25; remaining, 27.

Says the report: "On July 1st the following members of the Homœopathic Board began service as attending physicians: Doctors Hill, Burdick, Nicholson and Small. Since then they attended in alternation faithfully and well, giving to all the patients the same skillful care and attention. Of Dr. J. M. Selfridge, your surgeon, I can only repeat what you already know, that his zeal and devotion towards the hospital is constant and tireless. The percentage of surgical cases has been very high the past year, many of them requiring a great deal of care. The report gives the detail of thirteen cases of surgical operations performed by Dr. Selfridge, and of ten operations performed by Dr. Pease of San Francisco, all of which have been successful.

"Dr. Lowry has been called upon several times to make examinations and diagnoses, and has performed two successful operations. Dr. Green has done good work for the hospital, as shown by his report. Dr. Satterstall of San Francisco, also, treated a patient at the hospital. In addition to work done by homœopathic physicians, a number of allopathic physicians have treated patients.

"Dr. Hamilton of San Francisco performed two operations. Dr. Southard performed an operation for cataract. Dr. L. R. Webster performed a perineorrhaphy. Dr. A. Fine treated two cases, one of them having received very serious burns, which developed erysipelas. Abscesses formed from blood poisoning and it was only by skilful care from his physician that his life was saved. Dr. L. P. Hess, Dr. F. L. Overend and Dr. F. L. Adams have also treated patients here. Dr. Herzstein of San Francisco also treated a patient in the hospital. In the training school for nurses there are now six students, all of whom I believe will make nurses who will be an honor to the profession."

The doctor further recommended that more rooms be added to the building. More sleeping rooms are a necessity, and a nurses' sitting room is much needed.

Mrs. Sarah S. B. Yule, recording secretary, reported as follows in substance:

In October, 1888, this association for the purpose of benefiting the work, decided to reorganize with new articles of incorporation. This was done. The name was simply changed from "The Fabiola Hospital Association" to "Fabiola Hospital Association," and the directors and officers of the old corporation were elected to fill positions in the new. In April last, all property owned by the hospital association was transferred to the new corporation, and in accordance with the new plan of work, in June the following named were elected as Homœopathic Medical Board: Dr. J. M. Selfridge, surgeon; Dr. S. Powell Burdick, Dr. A. E. Small, Dr. I. Nicholson and Dr. R. Hill; and an Allopathic Medical Board, consisting of Dr. F. L. Adams, Dr. George J. Angur, Dr. A. H. Pratt, Dr. J. H. Todd and Dr. Myra Knox. The resident physician and specialists remained as before.

In April Mrs. D. B. Hackley, our president, tendered her resignation on account of her health, and Mrs. Margaret Standeford, our faithful first vice president, was elected to fill the vacancy. In June Mrs. H. P. Livermore and Mrs. W. C. Little tendered their resignations, and Mrs. Thomas Crellin and Mrs. I. A. Chace were elected to fill the vacancies. In September the property owned by the association on Alice street was sold for $5000, which enabled the directors to pay the last dollar of indebtedness, and today we are entirely free from debt. For this we are specially grateful, for it is necessary that we at once enlarge the building. Mr. F. Delger offers to give $2000. Mr. J. C. Kimball has given $500, and Mrs. T. L. Baker offers to give $500. Others have given smaller amounts, and we now have to raise only $900.

We now have 42 beds, 35 of which are occupied by patients. Number of patients cared for, 157; number of days' attendance upon patients, 9126, of which 2126 days' attendance has been to patients who have been entirely on charity.

We have received eight new members during the year, and seven have paid life membership. The training school for nurses is doing good work. There are now six students in the school.

In the afternoon a meeting was held, the President, Mrs. W. W. Standeford occupying the chair.

Mrs. Chase, the Treasurer of the general and building fund, returned a report which showed that the receipts from all sources up to February 1st were $20,732 82, and the disbursements were $19,027 43.

Slightly Off.

J. R. Rice, who is known as "the boy street preacher," appeared before the Police Judge this morning to answer to a charge of obstructing the highway. His trial was set for February 11th, at 1 P. M., and, upon his promise in the meantime to reform from repeating the offense charged, he was permitted to go on his own recognizance. Young Rice appears to be slightly demented, the result evidently of too great religious zeal.

The Turn Verein.

The convention which was to have been held by the Turn Verein at Napa a few weeks ago, but which was postponed because of bad weather, was held at that place today, and delegates from the Oakland Turn Verein left for Napa this morning.

Postmaster at Golden Gate.

J. L. French has been appointed Postmaster at Golden Gate, vice D. A. Hodghead, resigned.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

How Denny Holland Nabbed Red-Headed Frank Browning.

Mrs. Haufman, of 1408 Seventh street, was waiting for the passengers to get off of the local train at Seventh and Broadway, last Monday afternoon, so that she might board the car and go home, when she was amazed by hearing Detective Holland ask her if she had given Frank Browning permission to pick her pocket.

There stood Holland holding Browning's hand which was in Mrs. Hauffman's pocket grasping a purse containing $1 65.

"I guess you had better come up to the City Hall," said Holland addressing Browning, who is a red-headed pickpocket of great nerve.

Browning said there must be some mistake, but in the police court this morning he made no defense to speak of, and was held to appear before the Superior Court to answer a charge of attempt at grand larceny, with bail fixed at $1500.

HEALTH OF ALAMEDA.

The Mortuary Record for the Month of January.

How a Painter Escaped Payment of a Bill—The Examination of Tommy Warren, the Pug.

The Blanding avenue receiving sewer is so badly choked between William and Chestnut streets that it is necessary to let the Park street sewer discharge its sewage at the foot of the street.

A steam pump is in operation at the foot of Park street, pumping out water from the tidal canal excavation at the rate of 300 gallons per minute. Next week it is expected that another pump will be in operation which will draw out about 1500 gallons per minute.

Theodor Meetz will shortly apply to the City Trustees for a street railway franchise from Encinal avenue to the bay. If he obtains this (and the present Board of Trustees has not yet denied any request made by Mr. Meetz) he will have franchises for a railroad the entire length of Park street to East Oakland.

The preliminary examination of Tommy Warren, the pugilist, on a charge of grand larceny, preferred against him by Mrs. Carrie Church, commenced before Justice Dyer, sitting in Justice Holtz's court, West End, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Some of the testimony was of a very filthy nature. The impression is that Warren is not guilty.

A National Club has been organized in this city, with the following officers: President, S. B. Page; Vice President, Miss Mary Fletcher; C. A. McCarty, and J. J. Harron; Secretary, Mrs. M. A. Wells; Treasurer, George Pratt; Auditor and Librarian, Dr. Robinson. Meetings are held weekly at private residences.

The suit of E. B. Dunning against Joseph Miller, the painter, to recover $275 for material furnished, has been compromised by the payment to Dunning of $15. Miller successfully raised the plea that all the materials purchased in excess of this amount were bought by him when under 18 years of age, and he could not be held responsible for the money.

The production of the *Bells of Cornerville* last evening was a decided improvement over the first night and the audience was large and more appreciative. This evening *The Mascot* will be given with the same cast which produced it so successfully several months ago.

The Board of Health held its regular monthly meeting last evening, George K. Miller presiding. Health Officer McLean reported 15 deaths for January, which, in an estimated population of 10,000, gives an annual death rate of 18 per thousand inhabitants. Several nuisances were reported to the Board, and the Health Officer was severely scored in a communication for not abating a nuisance caused by a pigpen at the corner of Eagle Avenue and Everett streets. The Health Officer explained that he and the Board of Health were powerless as the ordinance creating the board provided for its existence for two years only, and this period expired last December. A new ordinance will be presented to the City Trustees next Monday evening, and after its adoption the board will then proceed to act in regard to the many nuisances. J. A. Leonard, a contractor, addressed the board on the subject of plumbing. He thought that there are many defects in the rules of the board relating to this subject, and said that the principal persons benefitted by them are the plumbers, while the owners of new houses are unnecessarily taxed. His protest was taken under advisement.

It will be necessary for City Treasurer Palmer to write his name 5000 times in connection with the issuance of the new municipal bonds.

SIDE BY SIDE.

The Late Marcus M. Herr and Wife Reunited in Death.

Yesterday the casket containing the remains of the late Marcus M. Herr was placed in the receiving vault in St. Mary's Cemetery, beside the casket in which repose the remains of Mrs. Herr. The wife, who was Miss Lillian Benson in her maidenhood, died in Washington, D. C., of scarlet fever, on February 18, 1885. She was then but 17 years of age and had been married to Mr. Herr but a few months. She was a native of Iowa, but resided with her parents the greater portion of her life near Melrose, in this county. Her remains were brought to this state in April, 1885, and until last Thursday they reposed in Hiram Tubbs' family vault in Mountain View Cemetery. On that day the casket was removed by Albert Brown to St. Mary's vault and yesterday the body of the husband was placed beside that of his wife in the same vault. Thus in death the young couple are re-united.

They all use Naktigonia.

According to the *British Journal of Photography* our transatlantic friends are beginning to find out the true value of naktigonia, which consists of nothing more or less than a cheap aniline coloring matter known as tripaolin. Almost any aniline dye introduced into the developer would produce like results. Ormsby, the photographer at 1055 Broadway, can describe the results of this coloring. His pictures are the finest in the world.

Notice the difference between the telegraphic reports of THE TRIBUNE and of the other papers.

NO SURRENDER!

The Insurance War Goes Bravely On.

AN EXTENSION OF HOSTILITIES.

The Campaign to Open at Los Angeles on Monday—Review of the Situation.

It would now appear that the insurance conflict will be a fight to a finish, for the one probability of conciliation presented by the convention of the compact companies in San Francisco is gone. Not only was peace not proclaimed, but nothing was done toward obtaining it. The representatives of the different companies transacted the regular routine business, and then came the time when, if the war topic was to be broached, it had to be done. But there was an ominous silence. Every one, though evidently desirous of hearing something said on the subject, hesitated to be the first to speak, and the opportunity passed by and was lost.

Everything, therefore, is left to the mercies of the Oakland agents whose sole prop now for self protection is the local agreement signed by all but three companies. Every effort is being made to keep a union of action in the matter, but it is an open secret that unless the war speedily ends the pillar of faith will be scattered to the winds and an open engagement will ensue. In fact, the whole Pacific Insurance Union is very weak at the knees, and the next few days may tell the tale of its dissolution. THE TRIBUNE received reliable information this morning that today's mail to Los Angeles conveys to the agents there, instructions to commence hostilities in the Angel City at 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, and similar notification will undoubtedly be forwarded to Portland in the course of a few days. Now, local organizations, like the Oakland Home in this city and the Southern California Company in Los Angeles will not remain long in a local compact with other companies skirmishing and cutting business on the outside, for the majority of the policies in the organizations named are carried in their own cities, whereas the other companies have the centers of their trade in Eastern or foreign places, and can therefore handle the California war as a comparative side issue. It is evident, therefore, that a continuance of hostilities must in time mean the breaking up of the local compacts, and ultimately, probably, the whole Pacific Union.

The standpoint of the mass of the companies for their declaring war is based on the charge of violation of treaty by the New Zealand. There is of course on the other hand, the argument of the New Zealand men that their action was based on advice received from Alfred Stillman, manager of the compact. It is on this question of principle, however, that the war is raging—whether or not a company violating the constitution of a union to which it itself belongs, has any right to consideration at the hands of the rest of the members. It seems, however, that there is a loophole by which the whole trouble may yet be settled. Why does not the executive committee obtain from Mr. Stillman a statement as to what instructions he gave to the New Zealand Company when application was made by it to have its salaried men made part of the company? They claim that Mr. Stillman gave them this authority; the rest of the companies say that he could not have done so. Apparently, therefore, there must have been some misunderstanding. Either Mr. Stillman was wrong in his instructions, or Messrs. Craig and Davis are wilfully upholding a pretext for continuing the war.

As far as the general public is concerned, however, there is joy at the combat for a dollars' worth of insurance can now be obtained for fifty cents, or even less. And then the outcome of the strife may be similar to that in New York city, a year or so ago, when the result of a great war was a permanent reduction of about 40 per cent on previous rates, making it possible now-a-days to secure a lower rate on a building in the heart of Gotham than on a similar place in the country. Instances of how deep and extensive is the slashing that is going on here can be heard on every side. Armory Hall, the rating on which was formerly $4, was reduced to $2 25 on Thursday and today went a notch lower it being claimed that an offer was made to take it at $2. A large paint store on Broadway, rated under the old schedule at $5, is in the market at $1 50. The most noticeable case is, however, that of a large box factory, which, from a rate of $7 50 has dropped to $1 75, at which it is described as a gilt-edged price.

"It is no longer a tempest in a teapot," said Secretary Blood of the Oakland Home, "but a tempest in an ocean."

To sum up the situation, it may be said, that, as far as the agents are concerned, on the maintenance of the local compact depends, to a great measure, their probabilities of success. The meeting which they had arranged for yesterday afternoon did not take place, however, owing to the rush of business, but at 3 o'clock today they will all assemble and again thoroughly review the situation. With unanimity of action assured they will feel safer, for there will be no battling in their own lines and they can march with serried ranks against the common foe.

A Will In a Prayer Book.

Last Wednesday, Mrs. Mary Farr, a widow past middle age, died in destitute circumstances, at 704 Brush street, of consumption. For a long time, she has been cared for by the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, as the son, with whom she was living, was a laborer, and unable to obtain work during the rainy weather. She leaves another son, a stationary engineer, at Stockton. On the fly leaf of a prayer book which she left was an olegraphic will, giving a small piece of property which she owned in the Eastto her sons, provided they would have er remains shipped East, for interment beside her husband. They will complint with the request.

Should be Deferred.

The Board of Public Works now recommend that the grading, curbing and macadamizing of sixth street, between West and Bush streets, should be deferred until the street is sewered.

CHURCH AND WARREN.

Young John Henry Is Very Suspicious of His Wife's Conduct.

John H. Church, Jr., who is sojourning in the county jail, raced up and down the floor this morning and could he have secured his liberty it would have been well for Tommy Warren, the pugilist, to seek new training quarters. Young Church has become somewhat suspicious of his wife's actions, and declares that if she cannot give him a square account of herself there will be trouble in the Church household when he gets out of jail. Mrs. Church is now prosecuting Warren on a charge of grand larceny, asserting that he robbed her of earrings at her home on the San Leandro road. When Mrs. Church visited the jail the other day she attempted to make an explanation of the loss of the jewels. She told her husband that she had been inveigled to Warren's room in Alameda, and while there he asked her for the loan of $10. This she refused to give him, and he stole the jewelry from her pocket. But young John is still suspicious. The explanation did not satisfy him and he demands that his wife shall prosecute Warren to the full extent of the law. Church was seen by a TRIBUNE reporter this morning and said: "I have only twelve days more to serve in this jail, and when I get out I will find out the truth about this whole matter. I don't know whether my wife is acting right by me or not, but there is one thing certain, and that is if Warren is to blame in the matter, he had better have a care. I will return to this jail for something worth being locked up for."

Evidently it will be war to the knife between Church and Warren. The actions of Mrs. Church during the past month have been such as not to commend her to a loving husband. Should Warren be discharged at his preliminary examination it would only tend further to excite the suspicions of the jealed husband and cause him to seek redress. It is certain, however, that when young Church and Tommy Warren meet there will be trouble, and it will be a fight to a finish in which some one will be hurt.

BOLD HOODLUMS.

A Deputy Sheriff Bags One of the Gang.

For some weeks past a gang of young hoodlums has made matters very disagreeable in the vicinity of the Sixteenth street station. Yesterday afternoon the young men amused themselves by throwing stones at some workmen. Deputy Sheriff Kellogg happened to be in the vicinity, and after a hard struggle he captured one of the gang. The fellow made no resistance at first, when suddenly he slipped his coat off in the hope of escaping, but Kellogg was too speedy for him and soon caught him again and lodged him in the county jail on a charge of disturbing the peace. The prisoner gave the name of George A. Sullivan, and will be given an opportunity of explaining his ungentlemanly conduct to Justice Snook.

Brown's Empty Purse.

John Brown, who stole a horse and buggy from McKenzie & Co's livery stable, told the police judge it is morning that he had no means whatever to fee an attorney, so without more ado his examination was set for next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

In Honor of Joseph McKeown.

The public school at Alvarado was closed yesterday at noon, because of the death of Assemblyman Joseph McKeown, who was one of the trustees of the district. The funeral will be held at 11 A. M. tomorrow, at Odd Fellows' Hall, Alvarado, and the body will be buried in Dry Creek Cemetery.

DEEDS AND MORTGAGES.

Specially reported up to noon each day for The Tribune.

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, February 8th.

F. Molz et al. to P. Reichsmith—Lot 50 x125, portion lot H, block 12, San Leandro ..... $ 5
Albert Miller to J. H. and S. C. Taylor—Lots 8 and 9, block J, New Jury tract, Oakland township 725
M. S. Peters to Luiza J. Duart—1 acre, adjoining Da Silva, Washington township 280
Antonio Dias and wife to M. Franco—94-100 acres on road from Irvine on road to road from Niles to Mission San Jose, Washington township ..... Gift
A. L. Mueller to A. M. Radcliff—N Clinton avenue, 100 E from Willow, E 50x150, Alameda 10
William Allen and wife to E. Mac—Lots 4 and 5 block 68, Watts tract, Oakland—quitclaim ..... Gift
A. Campbell et al. to J. P. Taylor—Lots 8, 9, 19, block 6, Case tract, Oakland township 10
W. E. Stevens to E. Paul—Lot 14, block 11, Alameda Park Homestead, Alameda 10
C. W. McAfee et al. to W. B. Furman and wife—Lot 8, block 3, Herring tract, Oakland township 10
C. Waite to A. Samonillet et al.—W Fourth, 100 S from Allston street, S 151.4x122, Berkeley 1880
F. D. Hudson to George H. Hudson—Plot 9, 33 acre tract, Oakland 5
A. M. Cotton to C. J. Cotton, his wife—W Twenty-third avenue, 100 S from East Fifteenth street, S 50, W 150, N 50, E 3x11, S 1, E 12½, N 1, E 9.7, Oakland ..... Gift
Hans Hansen to C. Christensen—S East Twenty-third street, 592 E from Twenty-first avenue, E 32x140, Oakland 10
H. Durard to W. C. Jones—Lots 1 to 7, block 12, Central Park, Alcatraz and Newbury stations, Oakland township 10
C. G. Whitcomb to Same—Lot 1, block 2, Teachers' State University Homestead Association, Berkeley 10

MORTGAGES.

SATURDAY, February 8th.

Joseph Saramento to J. Pereira—7 acres on road from San Leandro to Haywards, Eden township ..... $ 1800
J. B. Spotorno to Mary Meuhoo—233.576 acres, portions plots 40 and 12, Rancho El Valle de San Jose, Murray township 1500
H. L. Cazens to Union Savings Bank—N San Jose avenue, 350 W from Oak, W 50x150, Alameda 1300
James S. Nicholas and wife to George W. Russell—E Twenty-third avenue, 150 W from E Fourteenth street, W 25x150, Oakland 1000
S. T. Conger and wife to Oakland Bank of Savings—E Union, 231.4 N from Eighth, N 38x133¼, Oakland 1800
C. D. Everett et al. to S. G. Nye, trustee—9.90 acres on N avenue B, Eden township 500
Nathaniel Damon and wife to Union Savings Bank—12 acres at Currie's Landing, Brooklyn township 1200
A. M. Radcliff to A. L. Mueller—As in deed 600
E. Paul to W. E. Stevens—As in deed 2000
A. Samonillet et al. to C. Waite—As in deed 600
Felix Marcuse to D. Hirschfeld—As in deed 600
Same to same—As in deed 400

Spiritual Meeting.

In Grand Army Hall, Thirteenth street, near Broadway, Sunday at 2 P. M. and 7:30 P. M. Speaking and tests.

[Official.]

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Report of Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting Held Monday, February 3rd, 1890.

The board met at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present—Supervisors Bailey, Brown, Martin, Pelouze, and Chairman Morgan.

The minutes of the meeting held Monday, January 6, 1890, were read and approved as read, and the reading of those of the meeting of January 27th, 1890, was dispensed with.

INDIGENTS.

Sworn applications for aid were made by the following named persons, and were acted on as indicated, viz:

Mrs. B. Duffy of Alameda. Referred to Mr. Martin.

Mary McKinley of 371 Webster street, May Aird for Mary Semas of Third and Oak streets, Mary Hughes of 522 Second street.

Referred to Chairman Morgan.

A communication was received from T. W. Mullard, asking aid for Alexander Geneve of Warm Springs.

Referred to Mr. Bailey.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF INFIRMARY.

Superintendent Shirk of the County Infirmary reported as follows for January:

Patients present at 1st of month	239
Patients admitted	31
Total present	270
Patients discharged	20
Patients died	8
Patients remaining	242
Average daily number of patients	238
Cash received	$260 55
Cash expended	40 60
Balance	$139 95

Referred to the Hospital Committee.

REPORT OF CORONER.

The Coroner presented his report for January, 1890.

Filed.

REPORT OF COUNTY PHYSICIAN.

County Physician Legier reported as follows for the month of January, Patients admitted to the Receiving Hospital during the month, 51; patients discharged, 45; patients sent to the County Infirmary, 3; patients died, 3; patients remaining, 3; prisoners treated in the County Jail, 8; indigent sick treated, 6. The report was received and placed on file.

REPORTS ON INDIGENTS.

Supervisor Bailey of District No. 1 reported 191 indigents assisted during January, at a cost to the county of $263. Supervisor Martin of District No. 2 reported fifty-six indigents aided during the same time, at a cost of $128. Supervisor Morgan of District No. 3 reported 230 poor people assisted, to the extent of $478.

Supervisor Brown of District No. 4 reported seventy-five assisted at an expense of $184 50.

Supervisor Pelouze showed by his report that during the same month he had assisted 159 indigents, the amount allowed being $258 50.

Filed on file.

ROAD BRIDGES.

P. J. Keller of Piedmont Road District reported the unsafe condition of two bridges in Pleasant valley, at the head of Lake Merritt. The matter was referred to Supervisor Brown.

EMERY SCHOOL BONDS.

Treasurer Hall reported that there is now in the Emery School Building Fund treasury enough to meet the annual interest) sufficient money to redeem ten bonds, numbers 30 to 13, inclusive, with interest thereon, to February 15, 1890.

The report was ordered on file and the Treasurer was directed to redeem said bonds.

RAILROAD TAXES.

A second report was received as follows from the Treasurer:

"I hereby report the sum of $4359 27 now in the County Treasury to the credit of the County Road and Bridge fund from the apportionment of the county tax of 1889, on the assessment by the State Board of Equalization, of the following railroads: Central Pacific Railroad, Northern Railway, South Pacific Coast R. R. Company and Southern Pacific Railroad Company, which said amount, $4359 27 (less the amount set apart to the General Road fund), belongs to the several district roads of this county through which said railroads run."

This sum was apportioned to the funds of the road districts through which the roads run, as follows:

General Road fund	$653 89
Aroamont	472 07
Alvarado	220 66
Bay	74 83
Brooklyn	202 14
Fruit Vale	144 27
Mount Eden	535 33
Murray	351 57
Newark	149 42
Niles	411 51
Ocean View	23 48
Peralta	28 50
Pleasanton	244 15
San Lorenzo	371 36
Vallecito	219 74
Washington	453 76

ROAD DISTRICTS CHANGED.

Resolutions were presented by the County Surveyor amending the lines of the Castro Valley and San Lorenzo road districts, and were adopted, on motion of Supervisor Martin.

S. P. C. RAILROAD TAXES.

J. C. Martin appeared before the board, and stated that in 1882 suits were brought against the railroads to recover taxes due. All the suits had been settled, except one against the South Pacific Coast Railroad Company. The amount involved was about $975 90. He was willing to settle the matter by paying the amount due if the suit be dismissed.

District Attorney Reed consented to the settlement of the suit in this way, and advised that a resolution empowering him to dismiss the suit be passed. He was advised by the chair to prepare a suitable resolution.

Subsequently Mr. Martin presented the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted, on motion of Mr. Brown, viz:

Resolved, That the District Attorney of this county be and he is hereby authorized and directed to accept from the South Pacific Coast Railroad Company the sum of $975 90, the amount of the tax, without interest, penalties or costs, in full settlement of the case of the county of Alameda against the South Pacific Coast Railroad Company, commenced in the Superior Court of said county of Alameda on March 15, 1882, and to dismiss the said action upon the payment to him of the said amount.

HAYWARDS WATERCOURSE.

Ben Williams appeared before the board in relation of the proposed watercourse in front of the land of one Kelley, near Haywards, and the matter was set for 2 P. M.

BATCHELDER ROAD.

In the matter of the petition of T. F. Batchelder for a public road in Murray and Washington townships, the district attorney reported that one of the bondsmen had written, asking that he be relieved from the bond. As he had already signed it and it was only for $50, the attorney advised that he be not relieved.

The County Clerk was directed to notify the bondsman that his name would not be taken from the board.

BURIAL OF SOLDIER.

Commissioner Smith of the Grand Army presented an official report showing the death and burial of Daniel Stineit, an ex-soldier, and a statement of the expense of burial, as required by law.

Filed.

BAD BRIDGE.

E. Johnson, Road Overseer of Fruit Vale road, notified the board that the bridge on the old county road, near the Mitchell House, needs a new bulkhead as soon as possible to prevent accident, and that the bridge on the main county road needs a few new planks for repairing the bulkhead.

The matter was referred to Supervisor Martin, with power to act.

BAD ROADS.

The residents and taxpayers of Alvarado called attention to the poor condition of several roads in that district and the unsafe condition of the bridges on the n, and advised that speedy action be taken in the matter.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole, on motion of Mr. Bailey.

WATERCOURSE AT LIVERMORE.

H. H. Pitcher and others of Livermore called attention to the damage being done in that town by water flowing into the town from what is known as the Fred Rose creek, and the petition called on the board to take action to divert the water.

Referred to a committee of the whole on motion of Mr. Bailey.

COMMUNICATION FROM INFIRMARY.

A peculiarly worded communication from Charles Ruoff, notifying the board to look out for "an honest Stuart who the Grand Jury has discharge because he has made about $300 from potatoes" was read. The paper was placed on file, as Supervisor Martin announced that it had been written by a patient at the infirmary.

REQUISITIONS.

The County Recorder asked for stationery, the Tax Collector asked for tax sale certificates, and the Assessor for stationery, etc.

Granted.

The County Physician asked for supplies for the Receiving Hospital and the Sheriff for supplies for the County Jail.

Referred to the Building Committee.

The Webster street bridge tender asked for a hoe, etc.

Referred to the Road and Bridge Committee.

PRECINCT REGISTRATION TO BE ORDERED.

The following is a full text of the resolution preliminary to calling for precinct registration, introduced by Supervisor Brown:

WHEREAS, The County Surveyor of Alameda county, pursuant to a resolution of this board is now engaged in the work of dividing said county into new election precincts, as required by section 1.27 of the Political Code; and

WHEREAS, After due consideration this board is of the opinion that it is necessary and expedient that a new and complete registration of the votes of this county should be had, and that precinct registers should be prepared and distributed in accordance with the provisions of section 1113 of said Political Code. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this board that such new registration be had, and that such precinct registers be prepared and distributed, and that upon the coming in of the report of the surveyor and the final establishment of said new election precincts, all necessary and proper orders and resolutions be at once passed and adopted by this board, for the purpose of carrying into effect the purposes and objects contained in this resolution.

The resolution was adopted unanimously on motion of Mr. Martin.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills, having been examined and approved by the Auditing Committee, were then read and unanimously allowed and ordered paid, viz:

County General fund—Hiram Bailey, $112 50; George Ballard, $60; A. Barnett, $4; Bassett, Slemin & Co., $21 50; George Bolton, $75; W. H. Blood, $5; Bonham & Hawley, $26 50; D. C. Brown, $25 20, $8 00; J. A. Brunje, $27; J. C. Bullock, $23 50; W. P. Byler, $06; James T. Carey, $80 70; Miss L. A. Case, $25; California Bank and Trust Company, assignee of John C. Breck, $100; same, as assignee of George W. Bothwell, $100; G. F. Calberg, $3, $23; L. S. Church, $125; R. S. Colvin, $25; H. G. Dexter, $100; J. N. Dunlap, $75; J. F. Elliott, $75; Louis Fasskiug, $62 90, $6, $7 20; Henry Evers, $166 25; P. M. Fisher, $19 15; $3 35; Fisher & Taylor, $71 64, $101 52, $230 42; A. F. Fonzo, $24; W. E. Hale, $282 21; A. R. Hamlin, $75; W. B. Hardy, $48 89; James Hutchinson, $16 50; Jordan & Arnold, $83 75; John R. Keith, $112 50; J. W. Kesler, $52 25; C. A. Klunker & Co, $68; H. P. Lezler, $160; Richard Lloyd, $18; Eugene Lynch, $75; D. W. Martin, $63; E. G. Mathews, $30; C. L. Maxwell, $5c; A. Mendenhall, $21; H. T. Morris, assignee of A. Tapro, $3; Bart Morgan, $23 40; H. T. Morris, $101 40; W. McVay, $48 60; R. B. Nixon, $21 50; J. M. Page, $25 10, $66 15; W. S. Pelouze, $38 80; Charles Prowse, $18 30; *Oakland Journal*, $24; F. R. O'Brien, $33 30; W. T. Ralph, $29 90, $40 45, $4, $35 00; W. J. Ramage, $8 05; C. M. Rosenberg, assignee of Samuel L. Taylor, $12 25; Schaffer & Graham, $50; Charles E. Snook, $30; J. Steinmetz, $17 50; Sunset Telephone Telegraph Co., $8 50, $5 90, $10 30, $11 55; George Taylor, $75; I. R. Taylor, assignee of J. H. Taylor, $3; same, $18 75; James A. Trefry, $25 30; J. L. Wellbye, $180; T. P. Wyckoff, $75.

County Infirmary fund—H. Alexander, $2; Mrs. S. F. Barnum, $40; George Beck & Co., $7; George Black, $18; N. D. Bohsen, $13; Filipe Bossi, $43 51; E. M. Brockey, $10 35; J. A. Brunje, $15 20, $6; H. M. Collins, $21; P. A. Dean, $49; Henry Evers, $72; Fisher & Taylor, $413 54, $14 69; H. Fletcher, $26; A. Foute, $5; Theodore Gier, $49; W. B. Hardy, $4 95; Harrison & Boyce, $172 95; Joseph Herrscher & Co., $33 95; Jagels & Wolff, $10; K. Jahn, $6; E. M. Keyes, $6; Kirkland & Trowbridge, $7, $8 45, $99 62; August Krake, $12 50; R. H. Larsen, $70; Annie L. Larsen, $25; Lawrence Brothers, $25; C. L. Maxwell, $21; Henry Meyer, $58; McMillan & Cox, $25 75 $8; C. S. Moore, $10; Louisa Parr, $10; Peter & Dresco, $110, $110 50; Phelan & Fish, $19; Rice & White, $159 51; H. P. Stice, $10; J. F. Stoer, $15; Sunset Telephone-Telegraph Company, $5 55; Webb & Speisser, $8; J. J. Warner, $45 90; employes of County Infirmary, $543.

Alvarado Road fund—W. T. Emery, $35; Antonio Garcia, $48; F. B. Granger & Son, $34; assignees of Joe Tratis Silva, $32; assignees of H. Smith, $07; J. B. Haines, $60; I. B. Macedo, $12; E. Munyane, $24.

Castro Valley Road fund—Sam Anderson, $9; William P. Cabill, $8 75; Antone Cunia, $21; Joseph Fraga, $14; Joseph King Jr., $06 50; James McCoy, assignee of John W. McCoy, $19 35; James McCoy Sr., assignee of Manuel Gresare Fior, $28 56; Joseph Sares, $13 10; Joe Silva May, $6; Neal Tamelier, $18 37.

Centerville Road fund—Joseph Morris, $21; John Pace, $16; Rosa Jose Garciada, $16; John G. Mattess Jr., assignee of Joe S. Duarte, $16; Same, assignee of A. J. Rodgers, $8.

Fruit Vale Road fund—John Hagan, $6.

Mission Road Fund—James Black, assignee of H. Lembeck, $8; same, $144; Edward Corr, $16; James Stanley, $10 25.

Newark Road Fund—Manuel Pico, $41; F. Feitz, assignee of Joe F. Dutra, $28; same, as assignee of Antone Enos, $[illegible]; John Fortune, $24; Ferdinand S[illegible] [illegible]ram, Paschot, $15.

Niles Road fund—W. W. Jacobs, assignee of Robert Forster, $10.

Palomares Road Fund—John Davis, $6; Peter Hoar, assignee of A. Mont, $16; P. H. Hoar, $30; Joe Martin, $11; N. Nelson, $10; Charles Ruano, $22; John Russel, $6; Ernst Smith, $11; A. Wendler, $4.

Piedmont Road fund—California Bank and Trust Company, assignee of W. H. Lee, $86; same, assignee of P. J. Keller, $48; W. G. Henshaw, $12 75; D. O'Mara, $32.

Pleasanton Road fund—George Beck & Co., assignee of W. Trotel, $4; George Silver, $28; P. V. Young, $28.

Peralta Road fund—C. L. Maxwell, $8 05.

San Lorenzo Road fund—L. Appley, $2 50; Thomas Chires, assignee of George Hyde, $08; F. S. Hamilton, $2 50.

Temescal Road fund—Patrick Curley, $5; John Borden, $5; Thomas Kearney, $16 50; N. Mulholland, $5; Dave Power $7; R. B. Nixon, $1.

Vallecito Road fund—H. Abbott, $8 25; L. Wellbye, $6 31.

Washington Road fund—John S. Beard, $27; S. D. Babb, assignee Jenn Harlen, $16; S. D. Babb, assignee G. W. Secher, $22; S. D. Babb, assignee A. E. Lewis, $12; Clark Brothers, assignees Joseph Kings, $29; Clark Brothers, assignees A. W. Cruver, $48; Clark Brothers, assignee E. E. Davis, $9; Clark Brothers, assignee G. Gregory, $9; M. A. Cull, assignee E. Hickey, $22; M. A. Cull, assignee William Ramsell, $30 50; Edward Cole, $18; John Deere, $30; A. Deere, $35; M. Davin, $25; E. W. Darling assignee of Charles Valpey, $27; Bateman & Lessoth, assignees A. L. Sant, $20; F. Lane, $30; M. M. Garinger, $18; Caroline Hirsch, assignee J. F. Rose, $10; W. W. Jacobs, assignee Frank Sereno, $8; Thomas Leal, $30; G. L. [illegible], assignee Charles Harvey, $20; D. M. Mattos, $14; M. V. Pears, $[illegible]; F. [illegible], $20; William Rose, $20; Ferdinand Sala, assignee R. Anderson, $8; Simmons Stivers, $30; Edward Weston, $5.

DISTRICT CHANGED IN NAME.

Mr. Bailey reported that John Armstrong desired a county road changed in Murray road district to avoid building a wash.

Referred to the District Attorney.

RECESS.

The board then took a recess until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The board resumed at 2 P. M., all the members being present.

HAYWARDS WATERCOURSE.

Attorney S. P. Hall appeared before the board in the interest of one Kelley, a landowner at Haywards, who objects to the proposed action in ordering the construction of a water way along Bridge and Kelley streets to carry off water falling on the hills and flowing into the county road. Mr. Kelley claims that the ditch would damage his property to the tune of $100 in the San Lorenzo creek, and Mr. Hall wanted the board to rescind its order.

Benjamin Williams also appeared for Mr. Kelley.

Joseph S. Kelley was sworn and examined.

The matter was referred to a Committee of the Whole for further investigation.

OSCOOD ROAD.

District Attorney Reed suggested that the new road laid out by L. E. Osgood and others in Murray Road district, be laid over until the next meeting as the funds are short with which to pay the damages, and the matter of transferring money from the General Road fund is under advisement. The petition was taken under advisement.

MEETZ' FRANCHISE.

The Franchise Committee recommended granting the petition of Theodore Meetz for a franchise to construct and maintain a street railroad on Park avenue, from its intersection with the southerly boundary line of the city of Oakland to the intersection with the northerly boundary line of the city of Alameda.

The ordinance granting said right was then read and was unanimously passed by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Brown, Martin, Pelouze, and Chairman Morgan.

Noes—None.

ROAD NO. 2543.

A resolution was passed adopting the report of the viewers of the proposed public road No. 2543 in Mount Eden road district and allowing the following damages to non-consenting landowners: Ferdinand Schultz, $20; William Diedrickson, $30; H. Haas, $143; C. P. Hansen, $233; C. A. Beier, $59. These amounts were set apart from the Mount Eden Road fund.

BIDS FOR BRIDGES.

Mr. Martin reported that a bridge must be built, about 150 feet long, about 1½ miles north of Livermore, and, on motion of Mr. Brown, the Clerk was directed to

A FEW MORE DAYS.

February Nineteenth Will Be the First Day of Lent.

MERRYMAKING IN THE MEANTIME.

A Dinner to a Bridal Party--The Last Cotillon--A Day on the Bay--Weddings and Parties.

A few days and a few days only, are left for amusements. Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, will occur on the 18th inst.

A Dinner of a Bridal Party.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. G. Miller entertained at dinner last Thursday the bridesmaids and ushers at their wedding. Dinner was served at six o'clock, and the evening was pleasantly spent in music and dancing.

Those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Orestes Pierce, Miss Miller, Miss Tucker, Miss Whitney, Miss Clement, Miss Ainsworth, W. A. Herrick, T. T. Dargie, H. E. Miller, Mr. Bowers, S. B. McKee.

At the dinner was used a set of magnificent Doulton ware, made expressly at the order of Mr. and Mrs. Miller, and the table service also included the rare China, crystal, and silver ware presented at the wedding to the fair bride.

A Day on the Water.

Tuesday afternoon, Miss Brigham, with a few intimate friends, enjoyed an excursion on the bay, in a Government yacht, Captain Broadbent commanding. Several ocean vessels were boarded by the party, among them the outgoing China steamer. The party remained out a greater part of the day, having a most enjoyable time. The friends of Miss Brigham who accompanied her were Messrs. A. D. and Granville Abbott, W. A. Powning, Griffin, Miss Goodhall, Miss Belle Vernon and Mrs. Kellogg.

A Final Cotillon.

A large room, prettily bedecked, lights mellowed and softened, on a gaily-dressed throng, and the aroma of rich flowers stealing o'er the senses already enchanted by the strains of sweet music—such was Simmons' Hall last night.

The last cotillon of the season was being danced and the glory which ushered in the initial event shone greater than ever, on this, the final meeting. As a social success the club has stood without rivals. Each of its four gatherings heightened its popularity and it disbands with the hope on all sides that next season will witness its formation again.

To the ingenuity of H. B. Houghton, leader of the organization, much of the success of the dances are due. Figures quaint in conception and complete in performance have been presented, appreciated and enjoyed. Those of last night were even better than usual; original in every detail and intricate enough to make the nimble dancers who were them enjoy the fanciful as well as the actual part of the dance.

The first figure was a combination of all the complications presented at the other meetings of the club. It commenced with the umbrella figure by the first two sets consisting of H. B. Houghton and Miss Johnson and Rhodes Borden and Miss Ainsworth. Then E. M. Greenway and Miss Clement as the third set danced the intersecting circles. The fourth set, Mr. Davis and Miss Grimes next traced the gliding lines and the double countermarch was presented by Mr. Clement and Miss Harris in the fifth set. The sixth set, Mr. John Ainsworth and Miss McGee defined a basket, the closing figure, the other six leading sets being maintained by Mr. Sutton and Miss Nannie Pratter, Mr. Geo. W. McNear, Jr., and Miss Tucker, Mr. Brayton and Miss Watt, Mr. Heller and Miss Borden, Josiah Stanford, Jr., and Miss Gordon and Harry Knowles and Miss Weaton.

The second figure was very pretty and effective, being a combination of the double counter-march and scarf figures.

The third figure, a tunnel, was much admired and enjoyed. Hoops were held aloft while the dancers, arranged in the form of a cross, went through a follow-my-leader movement completely around the combination from point to point.

The fourth figure, a parasol, gave another opportunity for the display of precision and good arrangement, and was a complete success.

The fifth and closing figure was the best of all. It was aptly termed "the drivers," and was as novel as it was amusing. Large paper hoops, eight feet high were placed about the floor, and long decorated canes with ribbons attached were used as harness, six ladies being driven by one gentleman, and six gentlemen by one lady. The teams circled in opposite directions, and at the tops of two of the hoops were silken scarves inscribed:

"O. C. C.
February 7th, 1890."

These trophies were given to the lady drivers fortunate and nimble enough to jump up and catch them as the teams were passing through the hoops, and the efforts put forth in the accomplishment of the desired ends were productive of much fun.

The figures being over, the cotillon was at an end, and the club a thing of the past. Its existence was one of luster, and it leaves behind it, in the minds of all who had the good fortune to be among its members, the memory of as happy and successful an organization as ever graced the social life of Oakland.

The members and guests of the club, as represented by the invitations issued for last night's festivities, were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Barstow, Mr. and Mrs. Borden, Mr. and Mrs. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. Brigham, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Glascock, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Powning, Mr. and Mrs. Sessions, Mr. and Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. J. C. Ainsworth, Mrs. Chabot, Mrs. J. Garber, Mrs. B. Morgan, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, the Misses Ainsworth, Miss Barstow, Miss Bayley, Miss Balt, Miss Booth, Miss Genieve Booth, Miss Brown, Miss Borden, Miss Johnson, Miss Florinne Brown, Miss Brigham, Miss Brayton, Miss Carroll, Miss Chabot, Miss Etta Chabot, Miss Cohen, Miss Clement, Miss Coleman, Miss de Fremery, Miss Dean, Miss Dunham, Miss Garber, Miss Grimes, Miss Goodall, Miss Gordon, Miss Hattie Hall, Miss Harris, Miss Herrick, Miss Hutchinson of New York, Miss Kirkham, Miss Kittle, Miss Knowles, Miss Lohman, Miss McKee, Miss Alice Owen, Miss Pierce, Miss Prather, Miss Rabe, Miss Stanford, Miss Stockwell, Miss Sessions, Miss Taylor, Miss Tompkins, Miss Tucker, Miss Wall, Miss Watt, Miss Wheaton, Miss Wadsworth, Miss Williams, Misses McDonald.

Messrs. Edson F. Adams, John Adams, John Ainsworth, Abbott, Henry Adams, A. N. Bailey, A. P. Brayton Jr., Rhodes Borden, George Boyd, Samuel Breck, W. F. Bowers, H. Coleman, A. Clement, D. Y. Campbell, E. B. Chapman, Walter Cook, Henry Deering, William Davis, T. T. Dargie, Charles Evarts, Robert M. Fitzgerald, C. Forbes, John Garber, P. Goldsborough, Ed Harris, E. S. Heller, H. Haight, L. Haight, E. Hinckley, H. B. Houghton, C. W. Howard Jr., P. Hutchinson, A. R. James, N. G. Kittle, [illegible] Kittle, Henry Knowles, Robert Knight, Norman Lang, Milton Latham, S. B. McKee, H. E. Miller, H. Miller, H. Moffitt, L. A. Mitchell, W. Magee, W. M. Meek, P. Morgan, G. McNear, A. S. McDonald, Cutler Paige, Pendleton, W. A. Powning, W. H. Rabe, Ed Sessions, H. P. Squire, Joseph Stanford, J. Sutton, C. H. Sawyer, A. Stone, B. Taylor, Phil Thornton, J. A. Towers, U. S. A., G. Tompkins, E. G. Vinzent, Wadsworth, James Wadd, H. Wilson, Mr. Williamson, George Wheaton.

An incident of the evening was the initial rendition of a 3-step cotillon polka, composed by Professor P. A. Gilbert and Theo. H. Northrop, and dedicated to the Oakland Cotillon Club. The music was bright and catchy, and at the conclusion of the piece the authors were tendered the thanks and compliments of the members of the club.

After the Wedding.

After the marriage of Thomas J. Stanton and Miss Lulu J. Monson of Haywards, described in THE TRIBUNE of Monday last, the young couple went to San Francisco and occupied rooms at the Grand Hotel. On Friday evening of last week they entertained a number of friends at dinner and a theater party. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Stanton returned to Haywards, where, on Saturday evening at Oakes' Hall, they were entertained by a charming dancing party given in their honor.

Sons of the West.

An important event of the past week in local social circles was the ball given by Oakland Parlor, No. 50, Native Sons of the Golden West, at Cavalry Hall on Thursday evening, in honor of the fifth anniversary. Elaborate preparations had been making for several days before the event, and when the doors were thrown open the scene of splendor which greeted the eyes of the guests caused many Oh's and Ah's from the delighted fair ones. Strings of tiny Chinese lanterns and filmy streamers of divers colors above, lent a pleasing contrast to the festoons of evergreen and smilax and the rare plants from tropic climes with which the hall was decorated. The gas lights were all covered with delicate tinted globes, and the stage from which the Second Artillery Band, N. G. C., discoursed sweet strains, to which hundreds of willing feet kept rhythmic time, was bedecked with palms and sweet scented flowers in profusion.

Of course the bear flag, of which our Native Sons are so proud, was there and it occupied a place of honor beside the banner of Oakland Parlor. And the National colors were tastefully draped and prominently displayed over the guns of the National Guard of California. The party was a full dress affair and the grand march was:

"A scene where if a god should cast his sight,
A god might wonder and gaze with delight!
Joy touched the messenger of heav'n; he stayed
Entranced, and all the blissful haunts surveyed."

The hall will be long remembered and for its success much praise is due to the following committees:

On Arrangements—George S. Meredith, Frank C. Jordan, Harry W. Knoll, Chester Deering and R. M. Fitzgerald.

Reception Committee—J. H. Ames, F. S. Stratton, A. D. Thomson, George A. Penniman, A. S. McDonald, Charles Egbert, E. F. Harris, George C. Pardee.

Floor Committee—P. H. Remillard, J. E. Morris, T. T. Dargie, George H. Mason, Charles E. Snook and H. D. Gaskill.

Floor Manager—R. M. Fitzgerald.

Among those who enjoyed the parlors' hospitality were: P. A. Ziegenfuss, Miss M. Marlenstein, H. L. Davis, W. B. Standeford, W. G. Baker, H. M. Leonard, Mrs. R. H. Baker, George F. Dietrick, J. H. Ames, R. W. Pfaeffle, Miss Magill, E. J. Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McGowan, Miss Ballantyne, E. C. Reilly, Miss Hooper, Miss M. Hooper, I. H. Morris, H. D. Cushing, F. Sinclair, H. P. Gray, Miss H. Von Adelung, Miss Carrie Northey-Roma, R. M. Clement, Miss Grace Clement, Harry A. Melvin, Miss Roberts, A. G. Roberts, Miss G. Mason, George H. Mason, W. J. Sisson, Miss M. Ferguson, J. W. Easter, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kerr, H. W. Knott, W. B. Standeford, Miss G. Gage, Miss Lig Barstow, George P. Clough, Miss Willard, A. T. Stewart, F. C. Turry, Miss A. Bayley, Theo. Miner, Charles E. Snook, Mrs. T. H. Miner, Miss Minnie Brook, Mrs. M. C. Blow, Martin C. Blote, H. D. Cushing, W. F. Jeffress, Miss May Ainsworth, George Squire, Mrs. Camron, Miss Camron, Miss Bidwell, R. H. Magill and wife, Harry C. Dexter, Eugene Van Court, J. C. Lutgen, J. E. Brothers, Miss Gallischon, Charles Cushing, Miss Cummings, William Hummeltenburg, John H. Schutte, J. Cal Ewing, Mrs. J. C. Ewing, Harry P. Sloper, Misses Denison, James H. Williamson, W. C. Shaw, H. C. McCormack, Harry Benner, Will Prussia, Miss F. Cutler of San Jose, F. A. Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hunt, R. J. Bover, Miss A. M. Dietz, R. M. Fitzgerald, A. J. Brothers, B. L. Wade, J. E. Morris, Miss Phoebe Smith, George Schmidt, Miss S. Schmidt, Shelov F. Martin, R. S. Calvin, W. F. Burbank, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ziegenfuss, Miss Laura Blair.

Wedded at Berkeley.

On Thursday evening last two West Berkeley young people were married at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Bowen, on San Pablo avenue, the bride being Miss Jennie Devine, and the groom George Phillips, a well known gentleman of that town. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. H. H. Dobbins of the Presbyterian Church. The guests were entertained at supper, and a pleasant evening was spent.

Among the many very valuable presents received were: A gold watch to the bride from the groom; silver tea set and napkin rings from Mrs. Bowen; handsome clock, Mr. and Mrs. Landregan; set of carving knives, Miss May Landregan; damask table linen and napkins, Mr. Linkster; silver butter dish, Mr. Dickenson; lemonade set, Miss Spear; lace handkerchief, Miss Serda.

Those present were: Mrs. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Dobbins, Mr. and Mrs. E. Landregan, Miss May Landregan, Mrs. Sterling, Miss Sterling, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Mr. Linkster, Mr. Dickenson, Miss Spear, Miss Brown, Mr. Brown, J. Devine, Miss Serda.

Sibyl Sanderson's Triumph.

The following dispatch from Massenet, the musical composer, in relation to Sibyl Sanderson's one-hundredth appearance in the role of Esclarmonde, was received Thursday by the Bohemian Club, which at once telegraphed back its congratulations:

PARIS, 6 Fevrier, 1890.

Bohemian Club, San Francisco—Ce soir centieme representation de Miss Sibyl Sanderson Esclarmonde a Paris. Triomphe operatique. Vive l'Amerique.

MASSENET.

Young Ladies' Institute.

Young Ladies' Institute, No. 15, gave a social dance at Montana Hall last evening. The affair was a very pleasant one. The attendance was large and all present had an enjoyable time. Dancing was indulged in until 12 o'clock when the merry throng dispersed. The committees in charge of the affair were:

Committee of Arrangements—Honor Heeney, Chairlady, Maggie Doran, Susie Ely, Mary Goodfellow, Minnie Crowley.

Floor Manager—Mrs. D. Fleming.

Floor Committee—Minnie Crowley, Mary Goodfellow, Maggie Rueney, Honor Heeney and Lizzie Duddy.

Among those present were the following: May Doran, Miss M. McCloy, Maggie Doran, Honor Heeney, Miss O'Toole, Maggie Rainey, Miss Howard, Sadie Nolan, Lizzie and Mary Dolan, Rosie and Lizzie McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Susy Ely, May Grayson, Miss Whittaker, Mary Flynn, Lizzie and Kate Duffy, Ellen Connolly, Ella Irving, Kate McGlowan, Will Shaw, Thomas Manning, John Dobson, Miss Rigney, Michael Hennings, Mollie Hennings, Nell McKinnon, Lizzie and Kate Dunbar, Will Quinn, Maggie Pettit, D. Murphy, W. Martens, T. Kiley, R. King, J. J. McCarthy, Robert Senram, Tom Murray, R. Broderick, J. Marsh, Ed Noblett, J. Sutton, T. Gordon, J. Sullivan, E. McLaughlin, L. Hubbs, E. L. Soule, Miss M. Canopin, Miss O. Canopin, Miss L. Price, Sarah Nolan, W. Baker, B. Whittaker, Miss A. Leonard, J. W. Daw, J. H. Brown, J. J. Kenny, Charles O. Redman, Frank M. Ely, J. J. Sudge and wife, I. D. Tobin, Mary Holloran, Stella Redman, May Goodfellow, Frank Gordon, Arthur Sullivan, E. J. Powers, Maggie Newel, S. Farley, James Murphy and wife, Dan Murphy, J. M. Hennings, Morris Flynn, Tim Flynn, Miss A. Lehner, Miss Strasburg, J. Eagan, Thomas Butwell and wife, J. Rigney, Carrie and Maggie Rigney, Josie Lyons, Aggie Lyons, Maggie Mee, Ella Irving, Ella McCarten, Fred Kister, Mamie McCloy, C. Quigley, Lizzie Green, Miss T. N. Farley, Winnie Baker, the two Miss Magners, Mrs. Davis, Minnie Crowley, Oliver Morrow, Miss Finnegan, Jesse L. Edmundson, Mary Roche, John Dempsey, May Goodwin, Joe Phillips, Bert Barker, Tom Crawford, Jesse Fonda, J. T. White, John Coates, Mamie Keyes, Annie Keyes, Nellie and Fannie Welch, Miss Silva, Nellie Hearty, Frank Hughes, Frank Silva, Mary Holland, Mrs. Rose, James Gordon, F. P. Moore, Miss Shanley, Amelia Neher, F. W. Sanford, Alex. Shaw, George Ely, Pat. Farley, J. M. Daw, R. King, C. Carpenter, Sarah Ahern, Louise Silva and P. Walsh.

The officers of No. 15 are: President, Mrs. D. Flemming; F. V. P., Bessie McSweeney; S. V. P., Kate McKernen; R. S., Sarah Nolan; F. S., Mary Flynn; Treasurer, Ey; I. S., Mary Mein; O. S., Kate McGlowan, and Marshal, Mary Goodfellow.

Comic Opera by Amateurs.

Hansen's Hall in West Oakland was comfortably filled last Thursday evening by an appreciative audience, who were gathered together on that occasion to listen to a performance of the comic opera of *Penelope*, given under the patronage of Harbor Lodge, No. 253 of Odd Fellows. That the entertainment was a success goes without saying, judging from the applause and enthusiasm manifested during its rendition, and especially after the duet by Messrs. J. H. Hall and J. M. Betts. The singing of Mrs. R. Hall, who personated the character of "Penelope," was above the average, when taken from an amateur standpoint, as were also the singing and acting of Mrs. C. A. Gove. The other characters in the piece were well sustained, and, taken as a whole, the affair was a pronounced success, and reflected great credit upon the able management of the director of the evening, R. Hall, as well as upon the wise judgement of Harbor Lodge in choosing such a form of entertainment for the pleasure of its members and friends. The following comprised the dramatis personae of the operetta: "Penelope," Mrs. R. Hall; "Mrs. Croaker," Mrs. C. A. Gove; "Tosser" (of the guards), J. H. Hall; "Pitcher" (in the police), J. M. Betts; "Chalks," a milkman, J. McK. Burns; "Tompkins," a postman, H. T. Cripps. At the conclusion of the performance the floor was cleared and dancing was indulged in till a late hour, when the guests retired, congratulating the members of the lodge upon the success of their first attempt at comic opera.

George D. Bishop, P. G., officiated as Floor Manager while the Floor Committee comprised J. McK. Burns, E. F. Putney, James K. Maddocks.

Among those present were: G. G. Seymour, J. Brooks, G. H. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Herlitz, Mrs. E. Meyer, Miss Mabel Meyer, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Maddocks, Mrs. M. E. Sheldon, Mrs. Hazel Parker, Mrs. G. D. Bishop, Mrs. Frazier, Jennie Kennedy, Mrs. J. F. Rooney, Mrs. E. Smith, Lulu Smith, J. K. Maddocks, W. F. Price, M. Haro, James Anderson, John Peterson, Dollie Young, Miss B. Harris, Miss E. Harris, Miss T. Black, Mrs. Walters, James Jeffries, Martin Kearney, C. Taylor, G. T. Cootz, John O'Brien, William Cooney, William Kuhnle, George Sheldon, Gus Sawyer, George Richardson, William Wilkinson, Tom Moloney, W. C. Cootz, Thomas Crawford, George Jeffries, George Lewis, A. M. Hale, Burt Parker, W. J. Richardson, A. Anderson, F. Burton Gee, Jesse Fonda, William Sherban, Geo. Parker, Frank Parker, George W. Bartels, Frank Whitney, F. Riesdorff, Dave Otis, George Fonda, George Bishop, W. Shore, Eugene Walker.

The Althof Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Althoff entertained their friends right royally by a musicale and party at their home, 941 Filbert street last Saturday evening. The large house was turned over to the guests for the evening and a most delightful time was enjoyed. The rooms were beautifully decorated with palms and choice flowers, and the lawn was ablaze with the light of countless lanterns. Early in the evening the following programme was carried out and the numbers were heartily applauded:

Piano solo—"Spinning Song from Flying Dutchman"....Miss Gussie Fuegel
Song—"In the Forest"......Riehl Quartette
Soprano solo ....Miss Von der Horst
Duet for zithers—"The Echo in the Mountains"....Mr. and Miss Kaufman
Tenor solo....................Mr. Warnke
Trio from Haydn..Miss Fuegel, piano; Mr. Levinson, violin; Mr. Kaufman, 'cello.
Trombone solo—"The Beautiful Evening Star"..................Mr. Schultz
Song—"Good Night Beloved"......Mr. Rau
Song—"The Maiden's Wish"..Miss Gussie Fuegel.
Duet for zithers....Mr. and Miss Kaufman
Bass solo—"Infelice"........Mr. Auerbach
"Students' Evening Song" Riehl Quartette

At the conclusion of this interesting programme the guests repaired to a house adjoining, owned by Mr. Althof, where a bounteous supper was spread. After supper dancing was in order until the wee sma' hours of the morning. Among others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mau, Mr. and Mrs. J. Martens, Mr. and Mrs. R. Martens, Mr. and Mrs. D. Kuckheim, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gier, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rau, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Muhr, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rued, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bredhoff, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. L. Golly, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vonder Hoost, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Althof, Mrs. H. Fuegel, Mrs. A. Bahls, Miss Gussie Fuegel, Miss Lina Eibrecht, Miss Muhr, Miss N. Kaufmann, Miss M. Folkers, Miss L. Schlund, Miss Luecke, Misses Gilbert, Dr. H. T. Legler, Dr. H. E. Mueller, Professor E. Reitl, Professor H. Kowen, G. Folte, A. Moller, R. Auerbach, H. Kaufman, H. Levinson, Mr. Schulz, C. Brandt, George Kaempffer, W. Wamke.

Fountain Lodge.

Fountain Lodge, No. 193, of Good Templars, met last night at Covenant Hall, in the rear of the Jewish Synagogue, on the corner of Thirteenth and Clay streets, where the following officers were installed: Chief Templar, Frank McKenzie; Vice Templar, Miss M. Griffith; Secretary, C. Eby; Assistant Secretary, Miss May Fields; Financial Secretary, Miss M. Fields; Treasurer, Miss Jennie S. Naismith; Marshal, Fred Potts; Deputy Marshal, Miss Rossman; Guard, C. Lamarr; Sentinel, Frank Guno; Chaplain, Mrs. Paulinbaum.

The following programme was rendered: Duet by Mrs. M. E. Richardson and Miss May Richardson; remarks by Chief Templar of Athens Lodge.

Gay Maskers.

Although there were not more than a hundred participants at the masquerade ball given at Simmon's Hall on Tuesday evening, it was a most enjoyable affair, the bonhommie amply compensating for the lack of numbers. The grand march took place at 8:30 P. M., and from that hour until 3:30 o'clock the following morning, when the strains of "Home, Sweet Home" concluded the festivities, the gaiety was unchecked. A pleasant interruption was made in the ordinary card dances by the performances of Birdie Simmons and Eda Raffo, who gave some clever character dancing. The maskers and the characters they sustained were as follows: James Macdonald, drummer boy; H. G. Bayley Jr., ball player; R. E. Sullivan, English traveler; William Kuhnle, domino; R. P. Vest, Spanish cavalier; John A. Healy, paper hanger; G. W. Hughes, butcher; May Quigley, knight; Keren Weaver, pink domino; J. Lagorice, McGinty; C. L. Frank, printer; Ed O'Connor, cowboy; Miss M. Ronan, parlor maid; Katie Ronan, fancy dress; Annie Buck, domino; Annie Morgan, gipsy girl; Jennie Morgan, peasant; E. H. Adams, cook; Erminia Von Glahn, night; Minnie Hodgkins, schoolgirl; Maud Bartles, pearline; Lottie Wimble, Dolly Varden; Eva Raffo, Scotch costume; Louis Raffo, Abel; J. E. Duffy, waiter; G. W. Hughes, butcher; Jacob Hobson, fancy dress; Fred Moore, jockey; Edward G. Merwin, domino; May Bartlett, flower girl; Gladys Luther, ivy; J. W. Felt, S. F., hayseed; B. M. Blythe, Spanish cavalier; Mary Ingram, Mary Queen of Scots; Mamie Finnie, flower girl; Blanche Nimble, ivy; Carrie Wimble, fancy dress; Charles Lewis, red domino; Miss G. Wimble, child of the regiment; Miss M. Porter, McGinty's wife; O. Mayer, sailor; Sarah Watters, school girl; Ed H. Lewis, Heidelberg student; Alice Crittenden, fancy dress; Miss M. Morris, Spanish princess; Emma Newberg, fancy dress; Stewart Grimmell, clown; H. J. O'Dell, Irish character; Mrs. Hall, Spanish costume.

Among those present who witnessed the masquerade from the gallery were: Miss Williams, G. W. Collins, John Anderson, W. H. O. Conrad, Mamie Cunning, Captain A. Wilson and wife, T. J. Casey, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morehead, James Ready, Janet Hall, Mrs. J. W. Neswell, Mrs. C. Raffo, W. Broderick, J. R. Van Arman, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Luther and Miss Coyle.

A Birthday Celebrated.

James Henry Marsden celebrated his fourteenth birthday by giving a pleasant party last Monday afternoon, from 1 o'clock until half past 6 at his residence, 1928 Poplar street. His guests enjoyed dancing, games, and a delicious supper, and, in addition, were entertained by the following musical programme: Song, "With All Her Faults I Love Her Still," Miss Georgina Cox; song, "The Fisher Boy," Miss Maria Roderick; song, "The Bridge," Miss Hetty Marsden; song, "Boyhood's Happy Day Dawn on the Farm," Miss Angelina Henriques; song, "Come Back, My Darling, to Me," Miss Georgina Cox; "Cradle Song," Miss Maria Roderick; piano solo, Mrs. C. Bluard. The young man received many beautiful presents. Among those present were: Mrs. A. Henriques, Mrs. A. Mauser, Mrs. C. Bluard, Miss A. Marsden, Mr. Whitehead, R. Marsden, Miss Angelina Henriques, Miss Georgina Cox, Miss Hettie Marsden, Miss Agnes Henriques, Miss Alice Marshall, Miss Mamie Cruz, Miss Angeline Le Protti, Miss Maria Roderick, Miss Lizzie Dryer, Miss Lena Wilson, Miss Nora Martin, Miss Gracie Whetts, Miss Katie Murphy, Miss Josephine Ameos, Miss Alice Dryer, Miss Mamie Norris, Miss Lillie Olsen, Miss Annie Rankin, Lewis S. Le Protti, Theodore Mauser, Frank Keeley, Henry Marsden, George White, Eddie Murphy, Benard Schullertz, Eddie Marshall, Charles Keeler, Freddie Barker, George Bolden, James Davis, Arthur Hansen, Garnet Chisholm, Johnny Le Protti, Willie Odell.

Betrothed.

The engagement has been announced of Fred M. Bischoff to Miss Carrie Druschle, both of Oakland. The wedding will take place the 16th of this month. Mr. Bischoff is a prosperous gentleman and popular in society. Miss Deuschle is a society favorite. Mr. and Mrs. Bischoff will reside in Oakland at 606 Filbert street, where they will receive their friends.

Coming Events.

On Monday evening next a valentine party will be given by Unity Chapter, No. 66, Order of the Eastern Star, at Fraternity Hall, corner of Seventh and Peralta streets, West Oakland.

On Friday evening, February 21st, Haywards Grove, No. 64, Order of Druids, will give its first invitation ball at Oakes' Hall in Haywards. Tickets of admission may be had for $1 each.

On Thursday evening, February 13th, Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, Order of the Eastern Star, will give a valentine social and party at the Masonic Temple, corner of Twelfth and Washington streets. A drama entitled, *An Object of Interest*, and choice musical exercises will comprise the entertainment. Tickets, including refreshments, can be had for 50 cents.

A social supper will be given in the parlors of Pilgrim Congregational Church Tuesday evening, February 11th, beginning at 6 o'clock, to which the members of the church and congregation are cordially invited.

The choristers of St. John's Church, Rev. Benjamin Ackerly, will give a concert at Simmons' Hall on Twelfth street on the evening of February 14th, St. Valentine's day. Those who are interested in the youth of this city are invited to patronize and encourage these young singers. After the rendering of the musical programme dancing will be indulged in by the young people.

Miss Fraymond will lecture on Wednesday at 3 P. M. at the Flake House.

Co. C. Third Infantry Regiment N. G. C. will give a dance at the armory, corner 12th and Franklin streets, on Tuesday evening next.

Gossip

Mrs. George E. Whitney, Miss Whitney and Miss Amelia Whitney arrived in this city on Thursday after their European trip and are at the Albany. Miss Stephanie Whitney is visiting Justice and Mrs. Stephen J. Field at Washington, and will return home in about six weeks.

Miss Kate Clement is visiting Mrs. P. W. Ames of Ross Valley.

Miss Johnson of New York, who has been visiting for six months Miss Cohen of Fernside, Alameda, will leave this evening on her homeward trip.

The members of the Bachelors' Cotillon Club will give their final german of this season next Friday evening. Edward M. Greenway will lead, and the arrangements will be very elaborate. Members will please bear in mind that they must present their special tickets at the door, and also that no extra invitations will be issued.

The Lotus Club is still in existence with the old officers until Wednesday February 12th, when new officers will be elected. All outstanding indebtedness against the Lotus Club will be paid out of the treasury of said club. The Treasurer of the Lotus Club can be found at 963 Washington street.

Miss Laura Smith, who lives at the corner of Santa Clara avenue and Union street, Alameda, will leave tomorrow to visit friends in Fresno.

A banquet celebrating the anniversary of the Young Men's Institute of Alameda organization will be given by that popular society at St. Joseph's Hall, about the middle of February.

Miss Edith Stanle of Alameda will leave in a few days to visit friends at Mount Shasta. She has been in delicate health for some weeks past and it is hoped her trip will prove beneficial.

The wedding of Miss Stella Sears, daughter of Hon. W. H. Sears, and Egbert B. Stone, will take place Wednesday, February 12th, at the home of the bride's parents in San Leandro.

Mrs. Raoul Martinez left for New York last Thursday to join her husband. They will reside permanently in New York, where Mr. Martinez has gone into business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Alexander have returned from their visit to Monterey.

C. M. Merriman of Los Gatos was in Oakland yesterday.

Major Pico has removed his residence from Fruitvale to 559 Thirty-sixth street.

Mrs. Lancaster of Alameda has been visiting the family of Mayor Bowman of Santa Cruz.

Mrs. L'hote, who returned from Perrysville, Winnebago county, two months ago, will go East again next Monday.

Mrs. H. S. Pugsley of East Oakland is ill, and has been confined to her home for two days with la grippe. She is now improving.

Professor John Barrett, former instructor in English at Hopkins' Academy, has accepted the editorial charge of a paper at Astoria, Or.

C. P. McDuffee has been visiting Santa Cruz.

George Reiar is ill at his residence on Fifth street.

R. B. S. York has been elected a member of the San Francisco Press Club.

Judge Stephen G. Nye has forsaken his Tulare ranch and will resume practice of law, having regained his health by a year and a half at farming.

Col. J. C. Hays, of Tulare, is in Oakland.

Col. John P. Irish has gone to Washington, via New Orleans.

K. Porter Jones, of Chattanooga, is visiting Oakland. He was a college mate of County Superintendent Fisher.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

Certificates Recorded for the Week Ending February 8, 1890.

January 24—Henry Greene, aged 34, and Cora Green, aged 33, both of San Francisco; by C. E. Snook, Justice of the Peace.

January 22—James E. Depue, aged 33, and Grace M. Blair, aged 28, both of Oakland; by Rev. Robert Bentley.

January 26—Gabriel Henry Stockham, aged 76, and Marilla D. Wilson, aged 64, both of Oakland; by F. B. Ogden.

February 2—John Cunningham, aged 25, and Belle Wallace, aged 24, both of Temescal; by Rev. James M. Thompson.

February 5—Allan Charlton Reid, aged 50, and Ella C. Hunt, aged 35, both of San Francisco; by Rev. G. W. Bothwell.

February 5—Frank Henry Gruer, aged 40, and Hilda Esbjornsan, aged 25, both of Napa; by Rev. A. M. Le Veau.

January 16—Joseph S. Duarte, aged 35, and Mary Texeira, aged 18, both of Eden township; by Rev. G. Gloria.

January 6—John M. Santana, aged 24, and Annie Louise Joseph, aged 21, both of San Leandro; by Rev. G. Gloria.

February 3—Joao Louza Cardaro, aged 31, Oakland, and Rose O. de S. Vicente, aged 28, of Haywards; by Rev. G. Gloria.

February 5—James Higgins, aged 76, and Mary A. C. Higgins, both of Berkeley; by Richard Lloyd, Justice of the Peace.

February 3—Floyd De Albion Peters, aged 29, and Margaret Preston, aged 25, both of San Francisco; by Rev. J. K. McLean.

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WOMAN'S RECORD.

The Temperance Union and What It Has Accomplished,

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The First Paper of a Series by Mrs. M. G. C. Edholm Upon Women Writers and Editors.

It has always been the policy of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to develop womanhood and its wondrous capabilities in every direction. Perhaps the crowning glory of Frances E. Willard, our National President, is this characteristic to find in every one and in every good work something which may be developed to aid the temperance cause. She, like a veritable Napoleon, wins victories upon every side, and even her enemies admire the diplomacy and kindly tact with which she transforms organizations apparently indifferent to the temperance reform, into staunchest allies. The Knights of Labor and their chivalric leader, Terrence V. Powderly, are active friends of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Woman Suffrage Societies reach out the hand of friendship, and its Woman's Educational and Industrial Association, Teacher's Conventions Press Associations, Nationalist Clubs, Medical Associations, Colleges and Schools, White Cross Leagues, and Church Conferences and Assemblies without number pass resolutions favoring the White Ribboners and their work because Miss Willard has found something in each and every one of these societies which makes for temperance. And thus the forty departments of work have grown and the temperance reformation will come forty times as fast because of these manifold influences.

In no department has such wondrous development been manifest as in journalism, and the woman journalist owes very much of her rapid advancement to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Therefore, and because woman's pen is largely reformatory, this series of papers may justly fill a Woman's Christian Temperance Union column.

Entering upon this pleasant task of noting the women who, unable to stifle the God-given breath of genius within them, have demanded a place in the ranks of journalism, and are moulding public opinion to noble thought and lofty deed, my heart throbs with joy, for the new era—for which the women of intellect of all ages have been so long waiting and watching—is flushing the horizon with its roseate dawn, and its golden noontide glow will make the words of Victor Hugo a blessed reality—"The nineteenth century is woman's century."

I wish I had time and space to spare to even mention the names of talented women, who, in spite of the iron bars of custom and chains of prejudice, have burst their bonds and made themselves famous. Mrs. Clara Lyon Peters, of the Watseka *Times*, in an elaborate article on "Women in Journalism," read before the Illinois Press Association, gives much valuable information from unquestioned authority. It is from her we learn what may surprise the superior sex, which in centuries gone by supposed it had a monopoly in intellect, that the art of printing was originated in Japan by a woman, the Empress Shyantoka, who reigned in the eighth century, A. D., but as everything pertaining to the flowery kingdom has been concealed in mystery from other nations, the invention of the almond-eyed princess was of no avail to other races.

We find from the very earliest ages women in literature, in history, in the novel and the drama, who spurned man-made laws and braved all the danger and scorn of "unsexing" themselves rather than silence the voice of God, which said, "Write." But passing this long list, we hasten to the particular field of journalism and even here the narrow limits of a series of newspaper letters forbids all save the briefest mention of the hundreds and thousands who are laboring so nobly therein.

To those interested, we would refer for a full account on the subject to the second chapter of volume first of the "History of Woman Suffrage," so ably compiled by Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony. The reader will be surprised to find how great must have been the influence of woman's pen in shaping the policy of state craft in every land especially during the first century of American history.

The first daily newspaper in the world was edited by a woman, Elizabeth Mallet, in London, March, 1702. It was called the *Daily Courant*. In her salutatory, Mrs. Mallet declared she had established her paper "to spare the public at least half the impertinences which the ordinary papers contain." Thus the first daily paper was made reformatory in its character by its wise woman founder. It is a pity that her masculine compeers did not follow in her footsteps, and in this day of sensational gossip, intrusive and obtrusive, for which many of our papers might well be styled the *Daily Scandal Monger*, who does not long for some more such women to re-establish the decencies of professional journalism?

During the stormy days of our national independence very many women edited journals with marked spirit and ability, and if that renowned novelist, Alexander Dumas, is correct in his insight of human nature when he makes De Charney say to Marie Antoinette, who, in counting the forces in the French Revolution, scornfully speaks of their superior numbers to the Royalists being women: "Ah! but, my dear madame, count every woman as equal to five soldiers," they must have augmented greatly the American ranks.

One of the ablest of pioneer women journalists was Sarah Josepha Hale, whose "Lady's Book" has been famous for nearly half a century. She established this magazine in Boston in 1827, which she afterwards removed to Philadelphia, there associating with herself Louis Godey and assuming the editorship of "Godey's Lady's Book." Mrs. Hale, besides being a journalist of distinction, was a novelist and historian. No less than a dozen books bear her name and have had legions of readers. Her name will live for generations, and her sex owe her a debt of lasting gratitude for her complete and Herculean labor, "Women's Record, Biographical Sketches of Distinguished Women from Creation to the Present." Also, scholars are indebted to her for a "Complete Dictionary of Poetical Quotations," containing over 600 pages, and considered the finest work of its kind.

When it is remembered that she was a widow, supporting and also rearing five children, performing the heavy duties of both father and mother, we must surely admit her to have been a woman of rare genius. Imagine Charles Dickens or Horace Greeley having added to literary or editorial work the maternal care of five children.

M. G. C. EDHOLM.

W. C. T. U. Meetings.

The regular meetings of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union are held the second and fourth Mondays of the month, at 2 P. M., in the lecture room of the First Methodist Church, corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets. Ladies are cordially invited.

MRS. R. R. JOHNSTON, President,
MRS. L. R. WEBSTER, Secretary.

The East Oakland Woman's Christian Temperance Union holds its regular meeting, the first Monday of the month, at 2 P. M., in the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church. Ladies are earnestly urged to attend.

MRS. M. J. HAMILTON, President.
M. G. C. EDHOLM, Secretary.

The Young Women's Christian Temperance Union holds its regular meetings the last Thursday of the month, from 3 to 4 P. M., at Ebell Parlor in upper Hamilton Hall. Young ladies are cordially invited.

ROSAMOND JOHNSTON, President.

The North Oakland Woman's Christian Temperance Union meets at 2:30 P. M. the second Thursday of the month in the Thirty-fourth Street Methodist Church. Ladies cordially invited.

MRS. DOYLE, President.

The West Oakland Woman's Christian Temperance Union meets the first and third Wednesdays of every month at the residence of the President, Mrs. E. M. Higby, 1054 Kirkham street. All ladies are cordially invited.

MRS. E. M. HIGBY, President.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Under this head will be found the location of the churches in Oakland, the names of the pastors or rectors, the hours of service, of Sunday school, and of week day meetings. In the local columns may be found general religious news of interest and the subjects of sermons to be preached to-morrow.

FIRST A. M. E. CHURCH — Fifteenth street and Market. Preaching at 11 A. M. The public are cordially invited. Seats free.

BROOKLYN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Corner Twelfth avenue and East Fifteenth street, East Oakland. Rev. E. S. Chapman D. D., pastor.

THE WEST OAKLAND BAPTIST SABBATH School—Meets at Kohler's Hall, Center station, every Sunday at 2 P. M. Friends invited.

THE LADIES' UNION CONSECRATION MEETINGS will be held in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church at 2:30 on Saturday afternoons.

THE LADIES' UNION CONSECRATION MEETING will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the parlor of the First Presbyterian Church.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Harrison street, corner of Fourteenth. Rev. Hobart Chetwood rector. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner Thirteenth and Market streets. Rev. George W. Sweeney, pastor. Services at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

HARRISON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Harrison street, between Fourth and Fifth. Rev. W. T. Fleenor, pastor. Preaching morning and evening. All are invited.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH — Ninth street, one block east of Center. Rev. John A. Emery, rector. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

FIRST UNITARIAN SOCIETY—Worships in Hamilton Church, corner of Thirteenth and Jefferson streets. Rev. C. W. Wendte, pastor. Sunday-school at 12:15 o'clock. All invited.

PROGRESSIVE SPIRITUALISM—The Progressive spiritualists of Oakland meet every Sunday afternoon at Fraternity Hall, corner of Seventh and Peralta streets, at 3 and 7 P. M.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—Grove street, near Seventh. Rev. Dr. Akerly, rector. Service at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:40 A.M. Surplice choir at evening service, and seats free.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF GOLDEN GATE.—Preaching every Sabbath at Klinkner Hall, at 11 A. M., 7:30 P. M. E. C. Jacks, pastor. Residence, Mrs. Parsons, San Pablo avenue.

FIRST NEW CHURCH SOCIETY—Montana Block, corner Seventh and Adeline streets. Rev. L. G. Jordan pastor. Services every Sunday morning at 11:15 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10:15 A. M.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—West street, between Eleventh and Twelfth, Rev. S. Goodenough, pastor Services at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. Seats free. All cordially invited.

GRACE CHURCH, Episcopal—Cleveland avenue or Forty-fourth street, North Temescal, Sunday School, 10 A. M. Morning service 11 o'clock. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Seats free, strangers welcomed.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH—Seventeenth street between San Pablo and Telegraph avenues. Services at 10:45 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. L. Lemkau, pastor. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

EIGHTH AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner of Eighth avenue and East Fifteenth street, Rev. J. B. Silcox pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Union street, near Adeline station. Rev. H. H. Rice, pastor. Residence, 1054 Kirkham street, near Eleventh. Services at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school 12.30 P. M.

CENTENNIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Twenty-fourth avenue and East Sixteenth street. Rev. Robert Dickson, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30 P. M.

THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY hold open meetings every Sunday evening at 7 30 in the Hebrew Synagogue corner Clay and 13th street. Papers are read on Theosophical subjects followed by free discussion. All are invited.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH—Corner Fourteenth and Clay sts. Rev. E. R. Dille, D. D., pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Young people's meeting is at 6:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 12:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 P. M. All invited.

CHURCH OF CHRIST — Worships in the hall on Twelfth street near Washington. A. Coplin, pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Prayer and Testimony meeting 6:30 P. M. Gospel meeting 7:30 P. M. Sittings free.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Corner Fourteenth and Brush streets. Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor. Preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at 7:30. Seats free at the evening service. Sunday school at 12:30. Young People's Society at 6:30. Morning prayer meeting at 10:15.

TEMESCAL METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—P. K. Baker, pastor. Sunday services: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 1:30 P. M. Praise service, 7 P. M. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 P. M. Bible class, Thursday, 8:30 P. M.

CHESTER ST. M. E. CHURCH—S. W. corner Ninth and Chester streets, two doors North from Center street station. Rev. J. H. Wythe Jr. pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. Young people's meeting at 7 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH — Corner Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Rev. Francis A. Horton, D. D., pastor, Residence, 1357 Franklin street, corner Seventeenth street. Public worship at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:35.

TENTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH — Fourteenth street and Tenth avenue. Rev. J. Herndon Garnett, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. Young people's prayer meeting at 6:15 P. M. All cordially invited to attend.

CHURCH OF THE ADVENT—Corner Twelfth avenue and East Sixteenth street, East Oakland. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings at 7. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Rev. H. D. Lathrop, pastor. All welcome.

BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL—Rev. E. S. Chapman, D. D., President and Conductor; John Gilbertson, Secretary and Treasurer. Class meets regularly on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the chapel of the First Congregational Church, for this term. Strictly non-sectarian.

THE SAN PABLO AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH—Twentieth street, near San Pablo avenue. Rev. A. J. Sturtevant, pastor; residence 842 Twenty-ninth street. Preaching morning and evening. Sunday school, 12:15 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. All are invited.

FIRST SWEDISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN St. Paul's Church—On Ninth st. bet. Washington and Clay. Rev. A. M. Le Veau, pastor. Residence, 818 Thirteenth street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 10 A. M. Prayer meeting, Thursday, at 7:30 P. M.

FIRST SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH—Magnolia and Tenth street. Rev. C. M. Nelson pastor. Residence, 1200 Fourteenth street. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30 P. M. Young people's meeting Sunday evening at 6.30.

PLYMOUTH AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Plymouth avenue, near Telegraph avenue. Rev. E. C. Oakley, pastor. Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 12:15 P. M. Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 P. M. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Wed'sday evening prayer meeting at 7:30.

SWEDISH M. E. CHURCH—Corner Tenth and Center streets, Oakland. Services Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 7:30 P. M. Class meeting Fridays and 7:30. S. L. Carlander, pastor. Residence next door to the Church.

FIRST FREE BAPTIST CHURCH—Twenty-first street, between San Pablo avenue and Brush street, Rev. C. F. Penney, D. D. pastor. Preaching service Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Young People's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Prayer meetings Sunday and Wednesday evenings at 7:30 P. M.

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of Thirty-fourth and Market streets, J. M. Van Every, pastor. Sunday services, preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School, 12:15 P. M. Class Meeting, 6:30 P. M. Young People's Meeting, 6:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.

EIGHTH AVENUE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner Eighth avenue and East Seventeenth street. Rev. H. B. Heacock, D. D., pastor. Residence, 1319 Eighth avenue. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, 12:30 P. M. Young people's meeting, 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening.

ASBURY M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Corner of Fifteenth and Clay streets. Pastor, Rev. R. Boyns, D. D. Sunday services at 11 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sabbath school, 9:45 A. M. Young peoples' meeting, 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 P. M. Seats free. Strangers welcome. Pastor's residence, 608 Eighteenth street.

CAMPBELL STREET NORWEGIAN AND DANISH M. E. CHURCH—Between Eighth and Taylor streets. Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sunday school at 9:30 A. M. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:45. Norwegians and Danes cordially invited. Rev. Carl F. Eltzholtz, pastor. Residence, 1013 Willow street.

MARKET STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—[Branch of the First Congregational Church.]—Market street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets. Rev. G. B. Merrill, pastor. Residence, 1449 Market street. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Young people's meeting at 6:15 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 P. M.

SECOND CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Chase street. Services 11 A. M. and 7:20 P. M. Everybody cordially invited to attend. Prayer meeting on Wednesday night. Sunday school at close of morning service. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor at 6 P. M. Band of Hope every alternate Sunday. Other services as announced from the pulpit.

THIRTY-FOURTH STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner Thirty-fourth and Market streets, Rev. George H. McCracken, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9:30 A. M.; Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Pastor's residence 569 Thirty fifth street.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Corner Twelfth and Clay streets. Rev. J. K. McLean D. D., pastor. Rev. John Rea, associate pastor and superintendent of the Sunday school. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 12:30. Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 P. M. The public are cordially invited to these services.

JACK THE RIPPER.

Another Supposed Murder Bordering Upon the Selvage Edge of White Chapel.

A heavy trunk was to have been moved from 203 Eighth street yesterday, and when the Express Company called for it they noticed a terrible obnoxious smell. Their curiosity was at once aroused, and the driver suggested opening the trunk. "Youst youse look a letle oudt," was heard from the owner "Dot vas mine Limberger cheese dot youse smell, undt I vant mind drunk checked to Germany." "We check baggage to all parts of the United States," replied the driver of the Whitney Standard & Oakland Transfer Company. Their office is 422 Ninth street.

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For years I have suffered with sick headache, gastric acidity of stomach with great distress after eating, and constipation. I doctored and dieted all that time and no relief. Some three months ago I began treatment with Dr. Elnett of 1069 Broadway Oakland. From the first week's treatment I have no more headache or distress and am enjoying splended health. D. Hyman, with Salinger Brothers, 1063 Broadway

A Sad Accident.

Mr. C. A. Delmarage was walking down Broadway this morning reading a newspaper just after having purchased a new $550 piano when, as he reached the corner of Tenth street, he was seen to hastily throw up his hands and fall in a dead faint; at the same moment a large truck swung around the corner, and the driver, being unable to stop his horses, the heavy wheels passed over the pro-trate form of Mr. Delmarage. The bystanders rushed hurriedly to his rescue, but only reached him in time to hear him murmur "Oh, if I had only seen the advertisement of T. B. Potter & Co. before purchasing my piano I could have saved over $200." All intending purchasers should take warning from Mr. Delamarage's sad fate and join the new Piano Club now forming at 1165 Washington street.

New Railroad Traffic.

Pigeon flying has become a very absorbing amusement and the spread of the sport has developed a new branch of railway traffic. It is the practice of flyers to send thier birds in baskets addressed to the station agent at a particular station with the request that he release them, mark on a label the time they were released, and return the basket. This request is granted and the railroad men seem to like the work. In quills attached to the birds' legs are messages, on tissue paper, telling the finder that A. C. Reed, the popular butcher at Seventeenth and Telegraph avenue, keeps the best meat in this city.

A New Coal Yard.

John Eiferle has opened a new coal yard on the northwest corner of Fifth and Washington streets, and is prepared to supply the public with wood, coal, coke and charcoal at the most reasonable rates. All orders will be promptly delivered to any part of the city free of charge, and the patronage of the people of Oakland is earnestly solicited.

No so Called Piano Clubs.

If you join such a club, you pay $2 a week or $8 a month and you have to take a certain piano, whether you like it or not, and can not get the instrument till your luck by raffling gets it, they use your money and you have no piano. Girard's Piano House 1159 Broadway will sell you a first class piano for $8 per month and you can get the piano at once and select your own instrument. Do not be deceived by agents; go to a reliable house.

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Street Contractors!

—AND—

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons of companies using any process or working or dissolving asphaltum or bituminous rock, which is covered by United States letters patent. No. 319,125 dated June 2, 1885. No. 322,070 dated June 28, 1885. No. 342,852 dated June 1, 1886, and 376,175 dated January 10, 1888, that unless they are secured by license issued by this Company permitting the use of such process, that suits will be entered against them for infringement of patents, and for damages, and that injunctions will be obtained restraining them from further use of such process.

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Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,671 award the contract for the following:

That Thirtieth street in said city, from the sewer in center of West street to the sewer on west side of Grove street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight inches in diameter; also, that thirty-four Y branches, one to each corner lot and one to every twenty-five feet of remaining frontage, be constructed; also, that one brick ventilating manhole, at a point 360 feet east of the east line of West street be constructed thereon, as called for in Resolution No. 14,586, and in the Notice to Contractors heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to John Geary, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,672 award the contract for the following:

That Thirteenth street, in said city, from the sewer in center of Webster street to the sewer in center of Franklin street be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight inches in diameter; also, that 16 "Y" branches of 5-inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon, and one brick ventilating manhole in center of block, be constructed thereon, as called for in Resolution No. 14,587, and in the Notice to Contractors heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to E. Cavanagh, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Legal.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance Granting to Theodore Meetz, His Associates and Assigns a Franchise and Right to Construct and Maintain Street Railroads and Railroad Tracks on a Certain Street in the County of Alameda, and Run Cars Thereon, Propelled by Horses or Mules, or by Wire Ropes Running Under the Street, and Moved by Stationary Steam Engines.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE County of Alameda do ordain as follows:

Section 1.—The franchise and right is hereby granted to Theodore Meetz, his associates and assigns, to construct, lay down and maintain a street railroad and railroad tracks, with necessary turnouts and switches, on Park avenue, from its intersection with the southerly boundary line of the City of Oakland to the intersection with the northerly boundary line of the City of Alameda, and to run cars thereon, propelled by horses or mules, or by wire ropes under the street and moved by stationary steam engines, and to carry passengers and freight for hire.

Section 2.—The said railroad tracks may be single or double, and must be constructed of the best approved standard rail, and in a good and substantial manner, and so as to present the least possible obstruction to travel and the crossing of vehicles, and as nearly as possible in the middle of the street used, and the said Theodore Meetz, his associates and assigns, must plank, pave or macadamize the entire length of the street used by their track, between the rails and for two feet on each side thereof, and between the tracks, if there be more than one, and keep the same constantly in repair, flush with the street, and with good crossings, except where the track or tracks cross a bridge, present or future, then there shall be no expense further to the said Theodore Meetz, his associates and assigns, than to lay the track or tracks flush with the planking of the bridge.

Section 3.—The cars used upon said street railroad must be of approved pattern for comfort, convenience and safety.

Section 4.—The rates of fare shall not exceed five cents for a single fare.

Section 5.—The term of this franchise and right shall be fifty years.

Section 6.—This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on and after the 20th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety (1890).

Section 7.—The grantee herein named must pay the cost of publication of this ordinance required by law.

Section 8.—The construction of said railroad shall be commenced within one year and completed within three years after the passage of this ordinance.

BART MORGAN,
Chairman of Board of Supervisors, Alameda county, Cal.

Attest: CHAS. T. BOARDMAN, Clerk.
Endorsed: Filed Sept. 30th, 1889.
CHAS. T. BOARDMAN,
County Clerk.

Passed Feb'y 3rd, 1890, by the following called vote, viz:

Ayes—Supervisors Bailey, Brown, Martin, Pelouze and Chairman Morgan.
Noes—None.

Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,674 award the contract for the following:

That Twenty-eighth street, in said city, from the sewer in Market street to a point half way between Market and Myrtle streets, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe eight inches in diameter; also, that 10 "Y" branches of five-inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon, one brick ventilating manhole at upper end of sewer, and one iron ventilating manhole in Market street crossing be constructed thereon, as called for in Resolution No. 14,591, and in the published herein, in pursuance thereof, to James Killian, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feby., 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,677 award the contract for the following:

That a catchbasin according to plan "D" in City Engineer's office be constructed at the northwest corner of Ninth and Cypress streets; also, that an eight inch vitrified ironstone conduit pipe connecting said catchbasin with the Ninth street sewer at Cypress street be constructed, as called for in Resolution, No. 14,588, and in the Notice to Contractors heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to L. Kehoe, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,676 award the contract for the following:

That Third street in said city, from the center line of Chester street to the center line of Henry street, be sewered with an eight inch vitrified ironstone pipe; also, that twenty "Y" branches of six inch openings, one to each 25 feet of frontage, two T branches with standpipe, one at Henry street and one at Chester street, and one brick ventilating manhole half way between Henry and Chester streets be constructed thereon, as called for in Resolution No. 14,581, and in the Notice to Contractors heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to L. Kehoe, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7, 1890.

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ON the 28th day of January, A. D. 1890, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention number 14,662 to order the following street work to be done, viz.: That Haven street, from the west line of Peralta street to the south line of Emery Tract, be graded, curbed and macadamized to the official line and grade, and have all manhole covers raised to grade. (Macadam to be second class).

For further particulars reference is hereby made to said resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in THE DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for said publication.

Oakland, February 6th, 1890.

J. S. WALL,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of ANTONIO J. DE MELLO, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of Antonio J. de Mello, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Hall and Earl, rooms 17, 18 and 19, Delger Block, 957 Broadway street, in the city of Oakland, Alameda County, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Antonio J. de Mello, deceased.

JAMES STANLEY,
Administrator of the estate of Antonio J. de Mello, deceased.

Dated Oakland, February 4th, 1890.

Co-partnership Notice.

W. F. BECK HAVING WITHDRAWN from the firm of D. L. Beck & Sons, the undersigned have formed a co-partnership under the firm name of W. F. Beck & Co.

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Legal.

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,680:

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Ordinance approved July 19th, 1889, Number 1087, to wit:

That Central avenue and the 12th street dam in said city, from the east line of Oak street to the northwesterly curb line of First avenue, be, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, graded, curbed, macadamized, and sidewalked. Curbs wooden; macadam, 1st class; roadway to be 41 feet wide lying between the lines of the present old curbs; crown of street to be ten inches above curb; gutters 3 feet wide, of flat broken trap rock; sidewalks 8 feet wide of 2 inch pine plank laid transversely and spiked with 30 penny spikes to 4"x4" redwood stringers laid 2 feet 8 inches apart. Sidewalks to begin at east line of Fallon street and extend to the northwesterly curb line of First avenue on both sides of the street (or avenue) and dam. Also, that six redwood box culverts, three on each side, size 8x10 inches inside diameter, length from gutter to outer line of street, to be laid under the sidewalks to drain water from gutters. Ruts and cavities in street to be filled with hard, broken rock.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

Pursuant to Statute and to the foregoing Resolution the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o'clock P. M. of the 17th day of February, 1890, sealed proposals or bids for the above street work, to be done according to the specifications therein mentioned.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Feb'y 7, 1890.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 5th day of Feb'y, 1890, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,691:

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Resolution number 13,647 to wit:

That Linden street, in said city, from the sewer in center of 30th street to the south line of 32d street, be sewered with a vitrified ironstone pipe ten inches in diameter; also, that 35 "Y" branches of six inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon; also, that one brick ventilating manhole at 32nd street, and one iron ventilating manhole at a point 300 feet south of 32nd street, be constructed thereon.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

Pursuant to Statute and to the foregoing Resolution the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o'clock P. M. of the 17th day of Feb'y, 1890, sealed proposals or bids for the above street work, to be done according to the specifications therein mentioned.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a certified check or bond as prescribed in above Resolution and according to law.

Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Feb'y 7, 1890.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

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That Twenty-second (or Walnut) street, in said city, from the easterly line of Valley street to the westerly line of Franklin street, be graded, wooden curbed, and macadamized (second class) to official line and grade, and have raised to grade all catchbasins and manholes within its crossings with Broadway.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

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That Walnut (or Twenty-second) street, in said city, from the easterly line of Webster street to a line drawn parallel with said line of Webster street and distant therefrom 800 feet easterly from the northeast corner of Webster and Walnut streets, be graded, curbed with granite, and macadamized to the official line and grade (macadam to be second class).

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

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Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Feb'y 7, 1890.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Legal.

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

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That Thirty-fifth (or Walton) street, in said city, from the easterly line of Market street to the westerly line of Grove street, be graded, wooden curbed, and macadamized in the second class, and that the work at the crossing of said street with West street shall be solely to take up and relay curb corners and macadamizing and gutters to conform to the new sidewalk line established on 35th street, and to construct one vitrified ironstone pipe culvert eight inches in diameter across West street on the north gutter line of 35th street, said culvert to have two branches, each twelve feet long.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

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Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Feb'y 7, 1890.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,679.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, or as contained in its Resolution number 14,647, to wit:

That Center street, in said city, from the sewer in "B" street to the southerly line of Emery's tract, be sewered with an eight (8) inch vitrified ironstone pipe, having 32 "Y" branches of 6 inch openings, one to each lot fronting thereon; also, that two brick ventilating manholes be constructed, one at head of sewer and one 200 feet southerly; and also that one iron ventilating manhole just north of "B" street crossing be constructed. Earth to be covered over the pipe and for a space of 3 feet on each side of same, so that the pipe be buried to depth of one foot at least. Contractor shall furnish this extra earth, and not take it from Center street.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

He is also directed to publish in THE OAKLAND DAILY EVENING TRIBUNE, a daily newspaper published and circulated in this city, therefor and hereby designated for that purpose, both, a copy of this Resolution, and also, after its posting, his notice of such posting, each for two days.

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Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Feb'y 7, 1890.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Resolution Ordering the Work and Notice to Contractors.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKland, at its meeting on the 5th day of Feb'y, 1890, passed the following Resolution, No. 14,696.

Resolved, That the Council of the City of Oakland deems it to be required by the public interest and convenience, and hereby orders the following street work to be done according to the specifications therefor adopted or herein mentioned, to wit:

That two improved ventilating catchbasins, in accordance with plan E in City Engineer's office, be constructed on Sixth avenue, one at north corner of East Fourteenth street and one at north corner of East Twelfth street. Said catchbasins to be complete, must have conduit pipes leading to sewer.

The Clerk of this Council is hereby directed to post conspicuously, for five days, on or near the Council Chamber door of this city, notice hereof with specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for said work, and requiring therewith a certified check or a bond, either, for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposals, all as prescribed by law.

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Clerk's Office, City of Oakland, Feb'y 7, 1890.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Notice of Award of Street Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Council of the City of Oakland, Cal., in open evening session of the 3rd day of Feb'y, 1890, did by Resolution No. 14,670 award the contract for the following:

That Broadway street in said city, from the south line of Eighth street to the north line of Seventh street, be, except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, graded, curbed with granite, except 193 feet next to 7th street on west side, and 79 feet next to 7th street on east side, which is already done; have gutters six feet wide formed of basalt blocks laid in cement, concrete and grouted; have roadway laid with concrete six inches thick, and paved with bituminous sandrock, all to the official grade. Bituminous sandrock to be 2¼ inches thick, laid hot and well rolled upon concrete. Concrete to be composed of 6 parts hard rock of about size of 2 inch cubes, 3 parts clean, sharp sand or fine gravel, 1 part fresh Portland cement of either brand named in general specifications, Ordinance No. 1087, approved July 19, 1889. Roadbed to be brought to subgrade of concrete and compacted by rolling with a roller of at least 10 tons weight before the concrete is laid, concrete to be tamped to place before setting and allowed to stand seven days before being covered with bituminous sandrock, as called for in Resolution No. 14,609, and in the Notice to Contractors, heretofore posted and published herein, in pursuance thereof to J. A. Fairchild, at the prices specified in his proposal on file for said work.

Said award has been duly approved by John R. Glascock, Mayor.

J. M. BRADY,
City Clerk.

Oakland, Feb. 7th, 1890.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

Home Mutual Insurance Co.

A DIVIDEND OF ONE PER CENT UPON the capital stock of this company having been declared, payable on and after February 10, 1890, stockholders residing in Alameda county can collect same at the Alameda county branch of the company, 900 Broadway.

HARRY B. HO[illegible]
Secretary Alameda [illegible]

THE PASSING SHOW

Henry Guy Carleton's Idea of the Millennium.

THE PLOT OF THE PEARL OF PEKIN.

Patti Season—Success of the Shenandoah—Stories of the Stage and the Play Actors.

Henry Guy Carleton was in San Francisco not so many, many years ago. He was around the newspaper offices there and was regarded as a strange sort of fellow, not too bright and not too dull, but certainly not companionable. He went to New York and started and managed that incomparably bright paper *Life*, the best of the illustrated weeklies. He wrote plays, *Victor Durand* among them, and now he is Mr. Henry Guy Carleton, the well known dramatist. It is good to see a good man advance, and Mr. Carleton's dramatic work proves his great ability. Recently he wrote an article for that excellent dramatic paper, the *Mirror*, upon the "Millenium of the Stage," in which the following sentences occur:

"A play is not a conversation, nor a beer garden, nor a Sunday school lecture, nor a lesson in didactics; but a verisimilitude of human life, with diverse human interests and human emotions tangled in one skein; words subservient to action, and individual values made tributary to the general effect.

"The eye may be deceived by the trickery of color and perspective, and the ear filled by loud mouthing or skilled cadence, but the blind heart—whether in gallery or stall—sits accurately judging, and instantly detects when hero or heroine go awry: condemning the false, however eloquently or vividly the mimic world pronounces it true.

"The millennium author will look as closely to his ethics as his rhetoric; study nature rather than novels; find that weak motives do not make strong situations, and learn that his patrons do not come to be instructed in the abstruse, but to see him make actual the possibilities of their own passions—and in doing this I am sure he will never plagiarize from the recent exciting importation, My Jack."

"The millennium actor will be recognized by few, welcomed by all. He will still have a pardonable weakness for fat, but will consent for the sake of the ensemble, to an occasional morsel of lean. The millennium stage will be nine-tenths center, but should the exigency of a situation require the player for a moment to move an inch or so towards the circumference, he will omit himself from the aforesaid center without forfeiting his right to salvation."

In Oakland.

Rice & Dixey's *Pearl of Pekin* is to be in Oakland, at the Oakland Theater on Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week. Louis Harrison, as usual, will play the part of "Tyfoo, the Mandarin." The plot of the opera tells of a young Frenchman, the quartermaster of a man-of-war stationed at Pekin, who happens to succor a Chinese maiden, whose father is the principal madarin of Pekin. He has a lively wife named Finette, who keeps a restaurant on the docks for the foreign soldiers and sailors. The quartermaster's name is Pierre, and upon rescuing the mandarin's daughter he kisses her. According to Chinese law in comic opera, anyone who has seen the uncovered face of a Chinese girl must marry her, or, if obstacles intervene, must suffer death. In such a dilemma the Frenchman is seized and carried off to the mandarin's palace to undergo one of the two tortures—marriage to a Chinese girl or the Ling-Chi. The Frenchman's wife is excessively jealous. He is compelled to marry the Pearl of Pekin, and his first wife, who has brought a basket of champagne to the palace, finds him dressed in Chinese robes. She protests, but it is of no avail until the Chief of the Imperial Tigers, who is in love with the Pearl of Pekin, concerts with the two women measures to relieve him of his dire and bigamous responsibility. And finally it is arranged that the Pearl of Pekin shall assume the costume of Finette, the Frenchwoman, and the latter shall assume hers in the final ceremony. In this way Ty-Foo, the mandarin, is deceived. But in the third act he discovers the imposture that has been practiced upon him, and as, according to Chinese laws, no one can have more than one wife for twenty-four hours after the ceremony of marriage, the Frenchman, who has not known of the substitution, is, after all, condemned to death. His wife has a happy thought as his last moments happen, and proposes that her husband, at least, die in good humor, and for that purpose proposes that her basket of champagne be uncorked. The Chinese, who asks nothing better, readily agrees to the proposal, and in the midst of their celebration the French vessel, to which Finette has sent a message by her four waiter-girls, returns to port, sends her sailors to rescue her quartermaster, and all ends happily. The story is amusing, the music sparkling, the scenery and costumes gorgeous. Eight pretty girls by whom one is carried back to the charm of "The Corsair," and in their costumes is renewed the nude of comic opera, for you can't muffle up a French sailor in a Chinese robe, contribute to the spectacular effect.

This evening the last performance of *The Bunch of Keys* will be given at the Oakland Theater. It is about time for Hoyt & Thomas to call in this threadbare farce-comedy.

In San Francisco.

The Patti-Tamagno opera season will begin at the Grand Opera House on Monday evening next. The programme for the week will be as follows:

Monday, February 10—*William Tell*, Tamagno in title role.
Tuesday—*Semiramide*, Patti.
Wednesday—*Othello*, Tamagno as the Moor and Mme. Albani as "Desdemona."
Thursday—*Il Trovatore*, Tamagno as Manrico."
—*Faust*, Albani as "Margherita."
matinee—*Sonambula*, Patti.
evening—*Aida*, Mlle. Nordica
Tamagno as "Rhadames."
of the charming
ard's, *Shenan-*
plete success,
found

at the Baldwin next week. *The Henrietta* and *Shenandoah* all in one season are enough glory and make enough profit for any man.

At the Bush Street Theater *Said Pasha* will be continued during next week. The performance is a pleasing one. Ida Mulle, who was the ideal "Cupid" of *Orpheus and Eurydice*, takes the leading part.

Frederick Warde, who is now at his zenith, will begin an engagement next week at the California Theater. *Virginius* will be the opening play.

The Blythe Case lasted a long week at the Alcazar, and will be succeeded next week by *Wicked London*.

Splinters From the Boards.

In his next season Frederick Warde will be supported by Mrs. D. P. Bowers.

Lillian Grubb is not to go with the De Wolf Hopper company as reported. She has been engaged for Stetson's Gondoliers company.

Julia Marlowe's manager will not allow her to talk to the members of the company except to say "Good morning." A Boston paper says: "Like a nun she is, you might say, dead to the world, except when on the stage." Being dead to the world is all very well, but it must be exceedingly unpleasant for the young actress to go about, saying "Good morning" like a human soap advertisement.

The recent production of *Joan of Arc* in Paris seems to have stirred the ebullient Parisian to a regular *furore* of enthusiasm. Not content with going in thousands to applaud the only Sarah as the Pucelle d' Orleans, it is now suggested by a prominent and influential body of citizens that a colossal statue be erected to the historic maid, and that on the frontiers of France the sword of Joan of Arc shall be an everlasting menace to her enemies beyond—the rude German and the burly Briton. As a compliment to the tragedienne who has so faithfully portrayed the great historical heroine, the features of Sarah Bernhardt herself are to be used by the sculptors; and, as a further recognition of her genius, a series of bas-reliefs around the base of the monument will illustrate the most successful impersonations of her theatrical career. It is not quite decided as to whether the German frontier or the shores facing England is to be the site selected, but the scheme has awakened much interest in the French capital, and will undoubtedly be carried out.

Here is a significent heading from a St. Louis paper: "Gave Us the Go-by. The Great Patti and Troupe Pass Through St. Louis." Patti's hair may be lighter than it was when she paid her last farewell visit, but her head is evidently still level as of old.

A prominent actress who was very ill was asked by a friend if there was anything she wished done for her. The actress turned her head wearily on the pillow and said faintly: "Please have engraved on my tombstone, 'Buried, under the management of J. M. Hill!'"

Joseph Grismer and Phoebe Davies appear at the Alcazar, San Francisco, March 17th, after which they will go to Australia.

Blakely Hall was married at New Brunswick, N. J., last Friday to Helen Standish, a graceful and beautiful young lady who was formerly an actress. She played in Said Pasha and Rosina Voke's company.

Madame Modjeska has contributed an article to the February number of the *Arena*, in which she describes her first appearance in the various theatres. A second article will appear in the March issue of the same periodical.

Marie Halton, who ran away with the cattle king, has turned up in London with a profusion of dazzling diamonds, the English rights to a new opera by Audran, and other marks of distinction. Miss Halton was a subordinate member of the Casino company when she was in New York; but she is, of course, heralded in London as "the celebrated American comic prima-donna." No wonder they think lightly of art-progress over there.

Jane Hading has been ventilating her opinions on the interesting subject of the marriage of actors, and ventilating them with that remarkable freedom from restraint and that profound disregard for propriety which seem to be the most notable characteristics of the modern French stage. Breathing its impure and artificial atmosphere, it would be strange indeed if a Parisian actress were capable of conceiving, much less expressing, healthy ideas regarding the social relations. "Most ladies, as a class," says Jane, "marry to divorce, and divorce to marry in order to recover their status in society." This looks like an epigram at first glance; but it is nothing of the sort. An epigram means something. "Artists, as a rule," placidly continues the actress, "are a nervous, exacting, impressionable set, and it is very difficult to find the right sort of husband for any of them." Concerning the rank and file, they and their marital affairs are not, in Jane's opinion, worth talking about. "The small fry of literature, art, and the stage, of course having no genius to spoil, may well marry like their neighbors. I think, if persons are careful to marry only their social equals, matrimony is very respectable, and even an advisable affair."

Entirely Satisfied.
Boston Record.

Suddenly she rose while the car was going up the grade, near Bromfield street, on which no cars stop. The conductor hurried forward and warned her not to get off. She got off, and fell down, of course. The car was stopped and she was lifted up, and immediately resumed her seat in the car, saying:

"Served me right; I have myself to blame for it."

"Don't you want to stop here, madam?" said the conductor.

"No, I do not. I only got off because you told me not to do so."

An International Stamp.
Public Opinion.

Charles Hancock, a most useful critic of the English Postoffice, makes the best suggestion in international postal affairs presented for many a day. This is for an international stamp, good in any country included in the Postal Union, and sold in all of them. Such a stamp would fill two constant wants in international correspondence. It would be used for small remittances from country to country, and it would enable a man in writing a letter to a foreign country requiring an answer to inclose postage.

GREAT BOOKS,

Some Big Literary Enterprises of the Year.

OF GLADSTONE'S REMINISCENCES.

Stanley's Congo Book and Dom Pedro's Memoirs—Fortunes in Literary Advertising.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

NEW YORK, February 3.

This is evidently to be a year of big books. Taking for granted that present plans will be carried out, we shall see in the literary market before the year closes:

Stanley's Congo book;
Dr. Talmage's Life of Christ;
Dom Pedro's Memoirs;
Joseph Jefferson's Autobiograpy;
Dr. Schliemann's new work.

Each of these books means an occasion of the liveliest literary interest, and a proportionate sale. Any one of these works is a safe literary venture even at high prices, although the technical archæological character of Dr. Schliemann's work will probably confine its audience.

MR. GLADSTONE'S REMINISCENCES.

Added to this array of literary enterprises, I received an inkling a few days ago that the strongest possible pressure was being brought to bear by one of the American publishing houses upon Mr. Gladstone to write an autobiographical volume. I have not been able to learn the exact status of the negotiations, but I was informed that the great English statesman had been induced to favorably consider the proposition. His definite answer has as yet not been secured. Last week the representative of the publishing firm sailed for England for the express purpose of reaching a decision with Mr. Gladstone, and ere this is printed the Grand Old Man has probably made the young publisher either affirmatively happy or negatively miserable. The figures in the transaction are said to be the largest ever offered for a similar work, so that if financial remuneration is any inducement to Mr. Gladstone, the world will undoubtedly see the work. Few books of a similar character could be so safely reckoned upon as such a volume from Mr. Gladstone's pen.

DR. TALMAGE'S NEW BOOK.

Dr. Talmage has christened his forthcoming life of Christ with the title of "From Manger to Throne," a caption about which there is the true Talmagian ring of originality. The first chapters of the book are already in the hands of the compositors, and it will not be very long before the work is ready for publication.

STANLEY'S CONGO BOOK.

I am told that Henry M. Stanley's work on the Congo will first receive publication in serial form. A large portion of the material will be given to a syndicate of American newspapers, while some of the chapters are arranged to appear in the pages of one of our magazines. Thus does Mr. Stanley still further add to the modest fortune which he will receive for the book rights.

DOM PEDRO'S MEMOIRS.

I learn that arrangements have been perfected whereby the work which Brazil's deposed Emperor, Dom Pedro, is to write will be published simultaneously in New York with its appearance in London. The work will cover the history of Brazil for the past forty years; but, as pen has not been put to paper as yet on the work, all reports as to its character are speculative. The publishing arrangements are, at least, made, but that appears to be all.

FORTUNES IN LITERARY ADVERTISING.

Literary advertising, in the public prints, I think, is undergoing a change, and what is generally regarded as the more popular magazines of the day are no longer the largest advertisers. The Harpers are the exception to this rule, and still hold the lead as the house spending the most money in advertising their magazines. I suppose they spend close on to $100,000 a year; but then they have four periodicals to push. It is in the realm of what is called domestic literature that the largest advertisers are now found. The *Ladies' Home Journal* of Philadelphia probably spends more in advertising during a year than any single periodical, and its bills must easily foot up $70,000. The *Youth's Companion* ranks next, with a good $60,000 annual advertising—always spent within two months of the year. The New York *Ledger*, with its special boom, now comes third probably. The Scribners, I suppose, spend a comfortable $35,000 a year in pushing their magazine, while the *Century's* yearly bills amount to about an equal amount, including their *St. Nicholas* advertising. All these are large sums, but as an evidence that it pays to advertise a good magazine, it will be seen that the periodicals named are all those having the largest circulations in the world. The publisher of a magazine, if he be wise, knows that it is profitable to be a liberal advertiser—provided, of course, that he makes a periodical which will sustain his advertisements, and all those I have named undoubtedly fill this requisite.

HANDLING MANUSCRIPTS WITH GLOVES.

I was railroading a few days with the editor of one of the popular magazines. After some conversation, we both returned to our reading, he occupying himself with a bundle of manuscripts which he carried in his valise. Before settling himself to reading he donned a pair of gloves, which led to the remark that this was certainly handling authors with gloves. "Yes," he replied, "you may construe it that way, but there is a more practical reason for my wearing gloves whenever I handle a quantity of manuscript at one time. The fact is, I do it as a self-protection to health. We naturally receive manuscripts from all kinds of people, and from all sorts of homes and places. No one knows what sickness may be in the homes from which these manuscripts come. And so, some time ago, I made it a practice to don a pair of gloves whenever I sat down for manuscript reading. There's nothing like being careful in all things, and in this case I think care is exercised by not having a miscellaneous lot of manuscripts come in contact with my hands."

WITH PEN AND PRESS.

Mrs. Helen Campbell has permanently removed to New York. In August next she will begin a series of lectures before the Chautauqua assemblies, and, in the meantime, busies herself editing a successful wage-earning-for-women department for a domestic magazine, and, in the intervals of leisure, adding a few pages to an unfinished novel.

It is very probable that Mrs. Frances Hodgson-Burnett will not return to this country from abroad until next fall.

Mary J. Holmes, the novelist, received royalties on 67,000 copies of her books sold durring 1889, showing that literature, with some, is productive of satisfactory results.

Henry T. Finck, the author of "Romantic Love and Personal Beauty," seems to have occupied the position of critic to women in the world around. In addition to the book spoken of above, which is well nigh a classic, he is soon to recount in a small booklet his adventures among "Spanish Beauties," who he believes are among the most beautiful women of the world; and next year he is going to Japan, I presume to study the Japanese women, a fruitful field for his observant eye. Though Mr. Finck is handicapped with the ponderous name of Theophilus, and owns up to having once written an essay upon the "Gastronomic Value of Colors," he has always been successful in studying the feminine mind, and most of the leisure his position of musical critic of the New York *Evening Post* allows him is occupied by this delightful form of psychology.

Robert Louis Stevenson has returned to Australia and writes that he will soon set his 'sails homeward." "Homeward," I presume, is New York, since Stevenson, before leaving on his present cruise, expressed his wish to permanently live in the metropolis if his health permitted.

Joel Chandler Harris is the editor of a volume of Henry W. Grady's speeches about to be published.

Edward Bellamy's old story, "Six to One," has been brought out in a new and revised edition

I can defy, upon the very best authority, that "Carmen Sylvia," otherwise the queen of Roumania, has broken down from literary work.

Some posthumous manuscripts of Philip Bourke Marston, the English poet, will shortly receive publication.

EDWARD W. BOK.

Death to the Parasites.

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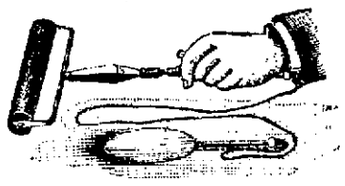
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